THE DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE.

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The White Man's Platform.

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—*Hon. Stephen A. Douglas.*

Mister President LINCOLN in reply:

I AM NOT, NOR EVER HAVE BEEN, IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people, and I will say, in addition to this, that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black race, which, I believe, *will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality*. And, inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I, as much as any other man, am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMPERTINENT *Fanatics and Abolitionists* ever get the power into their own hands, they will *override the Constitution, as the Supreme Court at defiance* change and make Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion or dare maintain their fidelity; and finally, bankrupt the country and deluge it with blood."

On September 2, 1843, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first *decay all harmony, and finally lead to disunion—inevitable war—the extinction of the African race—ultimate military despotism.*

But the great aim and object of you fanatics should be to arouse *the laboring classes of the free States against Abolition.* Depict *the consequences to them of immediate emancipation.* The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; *they would enter into competition with the free labor;* with the American, the Irish, the German; *reduce his wages,* be confounded with him, *and affect his moral and social standing.* And as the blacks go both for Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the lazy ring white man and the laboring black woman, *to reduce the white laboring man to the despised and degraded condition of the black man.*

I would show their opposition to Colonization. Show its humane, religious and patriotic aim. That they are to separate those whom God has separated. Why do the Abolitionists oppose Colonization? To keep and amalgamate together the two races, in violation of God's will, and to keep the blacks here that they may interfere with, degrade and debase the laboring whites. Show that the British Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article, that will be felt to every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let me hear from you on this subject.

A three inch snow fell in Louisville and Cincinnati Thursday.

The San Antonio *Herald* says the grasshoppers are hatched and gone for Western Texas, and "nobody hurt."

Another vote will be taken on the Pacific Railroad question, in the counties interested, in Middle Tennessee on the 10th of May.

A number of Giles county farmers are leaving Tennessee to settle in Kentucky, where they may for a time enjoy a white man's government.

During March, Nashville consumed forty-four millions, five hundred and two thousand two hundred and eighty gallons of water. How much whisky?

Lieutenant Stanton, United States Hydrographic Corps, has nearly completed a survey of Galveston harbor, with a view to the removal of the obstructions in the channel.

Close estimates show that there is no cotton in the State of Alabama except that which is in the warehouses at Montgomery, which hold about 2,500 bales.

Since the law took effect requiring four dollars for a marriage license, there has been a falling off in the matrimonial business in some parts of Tennessee.

The State debt of Tennessee is about thirty-five millions, on which one million one hundred and fifty thousand dollars the semi-annual interest is due in July.

The fourteenth annual conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of Indiana, assembled at Indianapolis on Tuesday last.

The negro Sam. Johnson, sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Dick Taylor, also a negro, was executed on the 3d instant, in Houston, Texas.

Judge Pope, who was arrested at Jacksonville, Alabama, for not making up a negro or mixed jury, has been released on parole. The Lieutenant who made the arrest will probably be put in his place.

The body of the Rev. Frank W. Stone, of Hawesville, Kentucky, one of the victims of the Magnolia disaster, was found Wednesday opposite the town of Columbia, by two little boys.

The County Court of Franklin county has refused to recognize one Silas Searls as county Judge, in spite of his commission from Brownlow, and has ordered the fellow not to interfere with the books or papers.

Charles Ross, who is charged with murdering his wife in Ireland, some years ago, and arrested lately at Cincinnati, has been started back for trial, in charge of two British officers.

The Buffalo Driving Association has appointed July 28, 29, 30 and 31 as the time of holding the great annual trotting fair. Premiums amounting to $20,000 have been decided upon.

The Chief of Police in St. Louis has detailed a corps of dog "stars" to keep people from throwing dead purps and and shot eyed kittens into the ponds—not that the dogs care, but as a sanitary measure.

If the young lady who sent that boquet of onion tops, dog fennel and garlic has a brother more than twelve years old, he will learn something to his interest by calling at this office, about four a.m.

A little boy nineteen years old, named Thomas A. Blocker, robbed his aunt of a large sum of money at Burns' station, on the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad the other day, and escaped just like a big boy. He was arrested on a train and kicked off minus the money.

A man has been arrested near Henderson, Kentucky, on suspicion of having been concerned in the Russellville bank robbery. He has a wound in the left arm. Nearly $9,000 in greenbacks was found sewed up in his coat. He was taken to Russellville.

Twenty-five niggers who participated in burning the negro who outraged a white girl in Jefferson county, some time since, have been summoned as *witnesses* against the thirteen white men implicated, and now in a military prison in Atlanta.

In the early days of Kansas a fellow named Hawker shot and killed a number of men within a few months, and was at last brought into court, when the Judge said to him: "Hawker, this the fourth man you have killed since you came to this settlement. Now I want to give you warning; if you kill any more people, the Court will feel bound to *look into* the matter."

The New York *Herald* has a long editorial advising Jefferson Davis to seek safety inflight from the country, as Ben. Wade and Ben. Butler mean to bag him when they come into power. Never mind that straw ball, says the *Herald*—that will be no loss to anybody—but skedaddle, depart, be off to a more healthy political atmosphere, save yourself, and "stand not upon the order of your going, but go at once."

For the Sunday Avalanche.

MY KINGDOM IS NOT OF THIS WORLD.

BY ANNIE CHAMBERS KETCHUM.

Not of this world, where Despotism gigantic
Reigns the nations with tyrannic bonds,
Crushing with impious heel, immortal creatures
Made in the image of the Lord of Hosts;
And where fair Freedom, though herself untrammeled,
Is powerless her brotherhood to free;
The chained hands bear their own dark fetters,
The fettered minds shape their own destiny.

Not of this world, Thy kingdom, Holy Saviour,
Where misery stalketh in her lastern guild,
Crouching in homes where starving children perish,
Where aching hearts break, where hope never smiled;
And where proud mansions though in pomp erected
And brilliantly adorned with rarest care
Can keep their dwellers safe no more than hovels,
For Death and Grief are praying every where.

Not of this world, where fond souls pour their fulness
Of deep affection out, alas! to find
There is no garner for the foolish reapers
Who on this earth their golden sheaves unbind.
Where trembling hearts watch wildly by the dying,
And wilder he the death-throes gathers slow
O'er eyes whose gentle light made life a glory,
But oh! whose setting darkens all below.

Not of this world, where Treachery watcheth smiling
With saintly air the trustful to beguile,
Bringing bright wreaths to crown their unpurred foreheads,
Unbeknowing their pure hearts with her well masked guile,
And then, as their soul's organ swells in anthem,
Stealthily tearing the fine fabric down,
And leaving them to die beneath the ruins,
Pierced by the thorns amid their flowery crown.

Nay, Lord! Thy kingdom great hath its existence
In the eternal, spiritual world,
Where our kind God and tender Father reigns;
Where the enfranchised, with Thy flag unfurled,
Thy glorious flag of peace, their victory shouting
Swell their loud pean as they sing of Him
Who, breaking their dark chains, their spirits freeing,
Gladdeneth with joy their eyes with tears long dim.

Where starvelings for the want of crumbs, who perished—
Crumbs from the rich man's table cast aside—
May freely feed beside Heaven's Holy River
And find immortal vigor in its tide.
Where stands the Tree of Life, whose leaves of healing
Perfume Heaven's holy air, inviting all
To come, the sick, the lone, the broken hearted,
And full redemption find from misery's thrall.

Where those for whom we mourn with grief unceasing,
In homesteads darkened by Death's heavy shade,
Their kisses, like the balmy south wind, missing,
And the glad thrill their hands fond pressure made,
Are safely housed, and eagerly are waiting
To greet us when our earthly life is o'er
And with their angel wings around us folded
Guide us in peace through Heaven's eternal door.

Thou, blessed Jesus! who didst bow in meekness
When the Dark Traitor gave Thee up to die,
Art there to shelter in Thy faithful bosom
The lone and wronged, whose woes have pierced the sky;
To give to their bowed hearts, surcharged with sorrow,
The eternal joy with which Thy temple rings,
And teach their bleeding hearts to strike Thy praises
On golden harps that have no broken strings!

Thy kingdom is around, above, within us:
Still with us are our loved and glorified,
Watching us, guarding, comforting, sustaining,
Till, our life o'er, we shall with them abide.
'Tis no long journey to the world of spirits—
We break our crumbling shell in earth's low nest,
Familiar arms caress, fond voices greet us,
Our goal is won, our Paradise of Rest.

WASHINGTON.

Illustrious Spectators at the Trial—Curtis' Argument an Able Effort.

Managers Wince Under His Powerful Logic.

The President Confident of a Triumphant Vindication.

Grant Shows a Negro Conventionist to the Door.

Special telegraphic correspondence of the Louisville Courier.

WASHINGTON, April 9.

Among the crowd of spectators at the trial to-day, to hear Curtis' opening speech, was Thomas Ewing, of Ohio, General Sherman, Secretary McCulloch, and Admiral Lee.

Sherman has allowed a luxurious growth of hair to take the place of the ugly crop of bristles on his face, which adds to his personal appearance.

The diplomatic gallery was well filled, which may be regarded as a compliment to Curtis, as a diplomat has been rarely seen there before to-day.

The argument of Curtis was pronounced by a Radical Senator to be the ablest ever delivered in that chamber. The managers winced under his powerful logic, and they, with their fellow conspirators, were glad when a motion was made to adjourn. He will conclude the argument to-morrow.

The President and counsel express entire confidence to-night that he will be triumphantly vindicated, so thorough and complete will his defense be.

Among the proof will be that every cabinet officer not only advised him of his power to remove Stanton, but also advised his removal.

The impression is steadily gaining ground among Conservatives here that the President will be acquitted, but I have failed to see one prominent Radical but what entertains a different opinion. It is therefore impossible to foreshadow the result.

Stanton is not transacting much business in the War office, although he is master of it at present. Upwards of twelve hundred requisitions are awaiting his signature, some dating back to January. The claimants are clamorous for pay. Stanton guards his castle closely and never leaves it.

Grant must be credited with a good thing. Dr. Bayne, member of the negro Convention of Virginia, attempted to lecture him yesterday about his duties pertaining to affairs in the Old Dominion, when Grant rung his bell and directed his orderly to show him the door.

You may soon expect Cassius M. Clay in Kentucky. He will come to see Grant, as soon as he arrives in this country, and then proceed to Kentucky to organize it for the campaign.

Assassination of McGee.

The Nashville *Gazette* says:

Tuesday morning, while entering his house in Ottawa, D'Arcy McGee—the big Canadian—the renegade Irishman—was shot by an unknown assassin.

In the days of the young Irish Republic, McGee was an active patriot; and he participated in the movement of 1848, which exiled John Mitchell, Smith O'Brien, Thomas Francis Meagher and others. In after years he came to this country "with a vengeance" against the Saxon. We have before us a very rebellious bit of poetry written by him in 1853, we believe, at Niagara Falls, on the sight of the British flag flaunting over the river.

Subsequently the temptations of place and incre proving too strong for his patriotism, he entered the inviting field of Canadian politics at a critical juncture, and rose rapidly to fame and position. A *natural* politician, of good parts and indomitable energy, his devious course secured for him the contempt of every true Irishman. Like other turncoats, he was a petty tyrant, provoking the deep hate of many whom he thought below him. In a moment of exasperation, some victim of his villainies has laid him low.

On Saturday last, two young men, aged about eighteen years, sons of Mrs. Valentine Brerly and Mrs. Eleanor Lockett, of Frederick, were drowned while boating in a branch of the James river, near Lexington, Virginia. They were students at Washington College, and were among the most talented and promising of the youths at that institution. The mother of each is a widow.

The New York *World* has an article on the degeneracy of Bohemian literature, in which it says: "The skeptical Parker is extolled and adored by these blasphemous Bostonians as a sort of Yankee Jesus, inspired with ultra modern ideas."

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NOAH FOSTER.
WHITE'S STATION, SHELBY CO., TENN., February 14, 1868.
This is to certify to all persons that Dr. D. J. Steverson, the celebrated Cancer Doctor has this day taken from my head two Wens, the largest as large as a walnut without causing any pain.
E. H. FELLOW.
DESOTO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, March 12, 1868.
This is to certify that I had a Cancer of an inveterate character, and of two years standing. Becoming alarmed, I met up with Dr. D. J. Steverson: I got him to practice on me, and I am proud to say with the happiest effect—that I am now entirely well.
Mrs. M. MCCULLEN.
Witness—Dr. J. P. FINNIE.
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Saved from the late fire, and selling at a GREAT SACRIFICE as they must be closed out at once. Call early and secure Bargains.
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mh3 177 Main street, sign of the Golden Shrimp, Wood at block.

—WANTS.

WANTED—Information of ANDY BOWEN. He was a member of Forrest's Cavalry, and is an Odd Fellow. Any person informing him will be thankfully received at 49 Poplar street, by his distressed wife.
nov9 LIZZIE BOWEN.

LOST.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-eight First Coupons of Memphis City Paving Bonds, due January 1, 1868; and I hereby warn all persons against trading for said Coupons, payment having been stopped.
apr7 EDWARD HOLBROOK.

LOST—This is to certify that the following Certificates of Stock in the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, belonging to my late husband, Dr. Wm. Jones, viz.: No. 700, dated June 20, 1857, for ten shares; No. 1116, dated May 1, 1860, for six shares, have been either lost or destroyed by fire, and that it is my intention to apply to the Secretary of the Company for a duplicate of the same.
mh18 NAOMI JONES, Administratrix.

BOARDING.

REDUCTION IN BOARD—The WHITEMORE HOUSE has reduced its transient rates to $2 per day; Day Board to $6 per week; Regular Board with single rooms very low. Families can be accommodated with nicely furnished rooms at the lowest rates. Owing to the fact that we have NO RENT to pay, we can afford better inducements to guests than any other house in the city.
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SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

MARRIAGE AND CELIBACY AND THE HAPPINESS of True Manhood; an essay for Young Men on the Crime of Solitude, and the Physical Errors, Abuses and Diseases which create impediments to MARRIAGE, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa.
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NOTICE—I will, at the next term of the County Court, apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Fletcher Taylor, deceased.
mh9 C. N. TAYLOR.

COUGH—NO CURE NO PAY—FORREST'S JUNIPER TAR is warranted to cure Cough, Croup, Hoarseness, Throat and Lung diseases or the price positively refunded. Instantaneous relief produced. Try it. If not satisfied, return the empty bottles and get your money back. D. F. GOODYEAR, 210 Second street, Agent. Price 25 cents.
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SUNDAY, : : : APRIL 12, 1868

WE publish below two communications, written by two beautiful young ladies of the South. In the name and in behalf of Mr. MULLALY, who is now in our city, we return to these young ladies that gratitude which we know he must feel for these kind expressions. These ladies, and every lady of the South who honors JOHN MULLALY, honor themselves. They are simply discharging a debt of gratitude. They are simply honoring a man unbought by patronage, unterrified by legions of enemies in front and rear, under the frowns and indifference of even Southern people, whose cause he made his own, and remained true to his nationality, and stood nobly to his principles. The Democrats of the South would be degraded and dishonored if they allowed the slandering and backbiting politicians of the day to override and trample down such a patriot. They would not turn their backs upon so stern and uncompromising a defender of the Constitution, when so beset as he is by enemies whose malignity and venality are rendered the blacker by the refulgence of his virtue. For years Mr. Mullaly has occupied the front rank, forming one of the forlorn hope in resisting the madness of fanaticism. Without spoils, reward or hope of reward, he has remained true to his nationality. The bitter denunciations of his own people, nor the cold indifference of the South herself, could not shake him in his stern and unrequited loyalty to principle and the Constitution. Under the heavy fire pouring in upon him incessantly from the abolitionists, in one quarter, and the Southern ingrates in another quarter, in which should be the house of his friends, he still stood heroically erect. Such a man was deserving of the honor which the democratic party showed him, and such a man has only to bide his time to reap a bright and honorable reward. The love of justice and the Constitution is a natural instinct in the great heart of the noble man whom innocent womanhood honors in the communications below. When it required some sacrifice to be a friend to the South, MULLALY planted himself upon the immutable rock of principle, knowing nothing but the Constitution, and caring not for insult and contumely. Unappalled by numbers—unterrified by clamor—with ALEXANDER-like madness he placed himself at the Thermopylæ of the Constitution, and has fought the enemies of fanaticism and disunion worthy of another LEONIDAS. JOHN MULLALY, Shield of the Right! Buckler of the Constitution; Champion of Truth! He is in the South. He has the admiration of brave men, the love of our women. His character is refulgent and untarnished, and he

Stands like the sun, when all around
Drinks light and life and glory from her aspect!

HOLLY SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI, April 10, 1868.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: I beg leave to offer, as a mark of the esteem entertained for "the noble and courteous editor" of the *Metropolitan Record*, these lines to the columns of your paper, which finds its way daily to our home, and whose gallant editor, whose gentle wife, stand foremost in representing so proudly the sons and daughters of glorious Tennessee, my own native State. Mr. Mullaly is ere this the guest of your city, where I feel assured he will meet a warm welcome and the kindest reception by all true citizens, who cannot but honor and admire the distinguished gentleman, who stood by us so fearlessly all through our struggle and in the very face of fanatics and usurpers, who is a staunch friend and defender of constitutional rights and freedom. The position taken by him, unbiased by sectional principles, challenges the admiration of the civilized world. He has indeed written for himself a proud page upon the record of the history of the nineteenth century, and has endeared himself to every true Southern man and woman throughout our sunny land. His name is indelibly traced upon the tablet of Southern memory. Southern children will love to lisp that name in praise; and Southern people will honor through all time, its proud bearer, who is the embodiment of every high-toned and refined principal, characteristic of the cultivated gentleman and scholar. It was our great pleasure to attend the lectures of Mr. Mullaly in this place, on the evinings of the 8th and 9th, where the elite and intellect of Holly Springs greeted him with pleasure and welcome.

Being deeply interested in the subjects so ably handled, we do not remember ever having our taste for the force of truth and justice, and elegant delivery, more fully gratified than on this occasion. It is pleasing to know that all good citizens approved of the manly sentiments, so boldly expressed, with generous sympathy in behalf of our suffering people, at a time when military tyrants hold sway, controlling freedom of speech and freedom of the press—brushing the great heart and energies of the entire South, affecting materially the nation itself. But Mr. Mullaly points to us a dawn of hope, a "silvery" lining to the dark clouds above and around us, strengthening our confidence in the power of the great Democracy of the North, with the assurance that the tax-paying millions there are awakening to the fearful reality of the condition of our Government, both political and military. Our only hope for relief and salvation lies in the Democrats of the North, whom the millions of pleading voices of the white people of the South should urge to the success, that the "chains of the tyrants which are o'er us now" may soon be removed. The State of New York may well be proud that she can claim a John Mullaly, whose heart is opened to those touching appeals from this oppressed people. He has arisen in majesty and strength, advocating the supremacy of the Caucasian race. And we regret that others of our Northern friends do not follow his example in coming among us, to see for themselves with what obstacles we have to contend, cause, and effects, and to witness the hot struggle against oppression and degradation; this, the sunnie land of our birth, once so full of life and happiness, but whose spirts, now crushed and broken, are wrapped in the mourning folds of our "Conquered Banner."

My humble pen would never tire in giving honor to the distinguished editor of the *Recorder*, to whom all honor is due. Yet I feel that it would be unworthy of us did we not extend to him this tribute of the high regard and sincere appreciation of one who has assumed the glorious position of the nation's peacemaker, and who, in justice to all, is ready and willing to receive from the hands of the oppressed, the "olive branch," so earnestly extended by the sons and daughters of our desolate land. May he soon enjoy the fruits of his god-like work, receiving the choicest blessings from Angels' hands, and wearing upon his noble brow the brightest of bright laurels. And we will wind our wishes into flowery garlands of roseate hues, that amaranthian-like may crown for him a long and happy life.

All honor to the Hon. John Mullaly, to Colonel Gallaway, and all others who are battling for a nation's cause.
FLORENCE.

MULLALY.

He comes! our noble standard-bearer comes,
To cheer the drooping hearts in Southern homes;
All hail! to Freedom's son,
'Midst clashing swords, and cannon's deafening roar,
Our reeling country shook from shore to shore,
The contest just begun.

He ever stood the firm, the strong, the brave;
While countless myriads filled one common grave,
And darkness veiled the land.
With courage bold, and true, and nerves of steel,
He held our rights aloft, through woe and weal,
The champion of our band.

Alas! 'tis lost; the sanguine struggle o'er;
Our banner floats above our heads no more,
But right shall yet prevail.
Though tyrant's rule, and terrors grim may reign,
And groans of anguish roll from plain to plain,
Their power can ne'er avail.

With strength renewed, we claim our honored place,
By deeds of valor, time can ne'er efface;
By patient years of woe.
Let manhood now assert our common right,
Stand firm, amid our country's awful night;
The dawn begins to glow.

A land of broken hearts, unhonored graves,
Still weeping o'er our loved but fallen "Braves,"
Who sleep to wake no more.
Oh! righteous God, direct our ship of State,
And Shield us from the Northerner's dreadful hate;
We all Thy aid implore.

Then welcome to our Southern sunny skies,
Thou freedom's champion, bound to us by ties,
Of truth and friendship dear.
Speak words of comfort to the orphan's heart,
And to our sons, new life and hope impart,
And dry the widow's tear.

THE complaints of various merchants in this city against the Memphis and Ohio railroad, are finally put at rest by the statement of the company, which appeared in yesterday's AVALANCHE. It is shown that in the seven months ending with March, 33,305 bales of cotton were shipped to Memphis from Paris and the intermediate stations, or 5,000 more bales than during the previous season, while only 957 bales went North. Hence the charge that the road discriminated against Memphis, and that so much cotton went North over the road, cannot be sustained. If our merchants would extend their trade all over West Tennessee can compete with Louisville, Cincinnati and St. Louis, they must go actively into the field and do something more than complain at railroads. The merchants of those cities come to our very doors and secure trade that, with the same enterprise, might be secured to Memphis, where it belongs. There is no definite reason why Memphis should not be a tobacco market for instance, and as good as Puducah, which ranks about third in the United States, except that Memphis lacks the enterprise which can grasp at anything except a bale of cotton. King cotton has vacated the throne, and the sooner corn, wheat, potatoes, sorghum, ground peas or some other staple fills the vacancy, the better for merchants, railroads, farmers and everybody else. We are glad that the Memphis and Ohio railroad company makes so clear a statement, and hope that merchants and railroads will harmonize in promoting their respective interests, and that a new era of prosperity will soon dawn upon us all. How this can be hastened may be the subject of another article.

THE second number of the *Daily Kentuckian*, issued by JOHN MARTIN, JR., & Co, at Paducah, is before us. It presents the appearance of a live paper, and bids fair to eclipse many of its older cotemporaries. It starts with every advantage in its favor. A large advertising patronage has already been secured, and its subscription list, we understand, is rapidly increasing. We give the *Kentuckian* a more cordial greeting because we know and esteem highly its conductors. The MARTIN brothers are natives of this city, and no young men stand higher in integrity, energy, and social position. They are sons of our well known and popular fellow citizen—Colonel JOHN MARTIN, than whom no man commands more esteem and general confidence. They are worthy sons of a noble sire, descended from one of the first and most distinguished families of the State. One of the firm is a fine practical printer, and the other has had a business experience which admirably prepares him for the position of business manager of a daily paper. We understand that Col. L. DUPREE, the widely known brilliant and indefatigable journalist is to occupy the position of editor in chief. The Colonel is too well known to the general public of the South and West to need any complimentary notice. He is a linguist, a scholar, a polished, warm-hearted gentleman, a ready thinker, and an apt, versatile writer. He is an ornament to the journalistic profession, and an accession of which any community should be proud. The new journal with which he has cast his lot occupies an important field, and we predict for it a brilliant success in every sense of the word.

FROM the announcement of the Committee of Arrangements, it will be seen that our distinguished countryman, JOHN MULLALY, the whole-souled and lion-hearted editor of the *Metropolitan Record*, will deliver a lecture at the New Memphis Theater to-morrow night:

The undersigned Committee of Arrangements beg leave to report that they have procured the New Memphis Theater for Monday evening, when Mr. John Mullaly has kindly consented to deliver a lecture on the "Political Situation and Questions of the Hour." Tickets for the lecture, one dollar; to be obtained at the AVALANCHE and *Appeal* offices, and also at the office of Bigley, Mellersh & Co., the prominent book stores, and of Mr. Chris. Steinkuhl, at the theater.

Respectfully,
George Mellersh,
P. M. Winters,
Henry Farmer.

This announcement will draw forth one of the largest audiences which ever assembled in our large and elegant Theater. The eminent character of Mr. MULLALY as a bold defender of the right, regardless of consequences, and an uncompromising enemy of tyrants, usurpers and hypocrites, whether great or small, his consistency and his unshaken faith in the final ascendancy of Democratic principles, all create a general desire to see and hear the man. The reception given him the day of his arrival was a triumphant vindication of the principles which he has advocated so vigorously in the very teeth of mobs and bayonets of despotism. The time is coming when despots shall be bound with the very chains they have forged for others, when the glorious principles of our ancestors shall be re-established in their purity, and then the champions of liberty and true republican government, such as Mr. MULLALY, will be recognized ina natfon's grateful plaudits.

THE HUNTER nigger branch of Memphis Radicalism has placed T. A. HAMILTON in the field as a candidate for Congressman at large. The highly respectable HAM CARTER put him in nomination, and we have the best authority for stating that the action took like wildfire. The nigger nominee has declared his willingness to be thus sacrificed on the altar of his country. So we may regard the Honorable THOMAS squarely in the race. It is gratifying to know that this erudite, profound scholar, eminent statesman and incorruptible patriot, is willing to endure the pains and penalties of a Congressman's life. It is peculiarly refreshing, in these days of brazen impudence, to learn that this prominence has been forced upon the Hon. THOMAS, whose modesty is one of his most shining qualities. We hasten to record that it was only after the most earnest solicitations of numerous niggers that he consented to plunge into fame, and immerse his noble form in glory. We take it that HAMILTON is the man for the place. He will be particularlarly the "right man in the right place" should the sugar question come up for debate. His experience in the article while in the Confederate service has rendered him familiar with branches of the traffic unknown to the majority of dealers and growers; and it is said that he enters into their consideration with peculiar zest. He is sweet-scented, from every stand-point, and possesses nearly as many and as varied qualifications as the distinguished HAM CARTER himself. THOMAS is undoubtedly the man for Congress.

WHILE making a speech in favor of the new registration, in the Pennsylvania Legislature, Mr. JOHN HICKMAN, an infamous Radical, made a most bitter assault upon Catholics and foreigners. He declared that *a negro was better than a Catholic Irishman*. On being interrupted by a Democrat, he became still more violent in his language, lauding the negro and denouncing Irishmen and Germans. This is an exhibition of the spirit which animates the leaders of the Radical party. Some of them try to conceal it, but the old virus of Know Nothingism rankles in their veins and will show itself.

WHEN the impeachment clause was under discussion in the Convention which framed the Constitution of the United States, M. GOVERNEUR MORRIS expressed himself as follows: "Much has been said of the intrigues that will be formed by the Executive to get into office. Nothing has been said on the other side of the intrigues to get him out." CHARLES COLESWORTH PINCKNEY said: "If he opposes a favorite law the two houses will combine against him, and under the influence of heat and faction, will throw him out of office." Those two great men foresaw the dangers which beset the Republic to-day.

AN EXPLANATION.

The undersigned were the persons arrested by order of S. B. Beaumont, Police Commissioner, while quietly engaged in a private room, offending nobody, and in no way disturbing the peace and quiet of the neighborhood.

The original organization was merely a Serenading Club, for our own amusement and mutual entertainment. It was proposed to increase its sphere, by adding a Glee Club, looking only to amusement, and adopting such forms as are incidental to all organizations, for the preservation of order and regular transaction of business.

We had several meetings in which nothing transpired that could be tortured into political design, or conspiracy against individual or Government, unless the fact that we were all young men of Southern birth, with Southern sympathies, and restricted our associations to those similarly situated, be deemed obnoxious to such objection. While we contemplated no injury to others, it was the understanding that we would assist each other in any difficulty that might arise, united by the ties of a common birth place and mutual friendship.

Under these circumstances, Mr. J. M. Campbell, who had held a responsible situation on one of the city newspapers, was introduced by a member, and appeared to take an interest in our organization. Flattered by his specious conversation, and looking to him as having greater experience we elected him president, not knowing or having the most remote suspicion that he had other design than that for which the association had organized. We had no constitution, no by-laws, and those which were published as found on the person of a member were in his handwriting, prepared for some purpose to us unknown, and meeting with general disapprobation among the few to whom they were disclosed—the mass of members knowing nothing of them whatever.

At the time this Campbell was made chairman, he recommended that we should constitute ourselves into a political organization, although the members were not all of age and not entitled to the elective franchise. This he pressed upon us, but did not meet with encouragement. At the last meeting he repeated his attempt to involve us, assured us that several distinguished gentlemen would, with our permission, meet us and initiate us in the mysteries of the parent organization to which they belonged. Knowing the gentlemen referred to, and confident that they would advise nothing unbecoming citizens and gentlemen, we expressed a willingness to receive them, but we have the best reasons for believing that he had no authority to use their names, and it was only part of the scheme he was maturing to carry out for some purpose of his own, and to influence us that he did use them.

Finding that he had signally failed in making us instrumental in effecting his object, whether out of chagrin, or through preconcerted arrangement, he gave such information as led to our arrest in detail, Campbell pretending ignorance or showing no knowledge of our capture, as we left the hall in pairs, unsuspicious of what awaited us, and he remaining in the hall until entered by the police to see if the whole party had been captured, and there giving unmistakable evidences that he was in the plot to betray us, through what motive, unless to secure a Judas-bought fee, and establish the reputation of the police chief for vigilance, we know not.

The paper so ostentatiously paraded in the newspapers, was not accepted or signed by a single member of our association, and was simply designed to prepare and entrap us. It was in Campbell's possession, and had not been out of it, as far as we knew or know, until conveyed to Col. Beaumont. We believe that Campbell was Beaumont's stool-pigeon, and acted through his advice and direction. No doubt has been left on our minds of his duplicity, and his hypocritical and knavish purpose to involve us in difficulty to secure a reward for his services as an instrument of the police.

We assembled without the least suspicion of harm, and among the whole society there were found, when arrested, but three revolvers and a derringer, a number of weapons that might be exceeded among any twenty persons taken unawares at any time in Memphis. There was but one mask, and that Campbell himself had. The skiff found was one left by the Botanical Medical College, a year previously, in the care of the physician whose room we occupied, and was simply used by us, for want of a better, as a candlestick.

We present this frank and candid explanation to prevent the further spread of misrepresentation. We have no knowledge of any other Ku-Klux besides ourselves, or their mysteries.

The above explanation was adopted unanimously by the members arrested.

T L Risk, President.	W J Littlejon, jr, Treas'r.
A C Ferguson, Sec'y.	F M Haley,
A S Wallace,	N F Reeves,
A L Duval,	P Skipwith,
Charles R Price,	A Hart,
George Stratton,	C D Slaughter, junior,
J Potter,	Henry Newsom,
L W Littlejohn,	S Foute.

Louis Napoleon receives as salary $14,240 per day.

In New Orleans, of 4,000 voters registered during the five days of revision, 3,000 were whites.

General Buchanan has directed an indefinite postponement of the charges preferred by Mayor Heath against the Chief of Police.

The Georgia Baptist Convention meets in the city of Augusta on Friday, the 24th of the present month.

In the Virginia Convention on Thursday, another resolution to invite Sergeant Bates was defeated. A resolution to adjourn on the 17th was adopted.

BY TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Fatal Accident in St. Mary's Church, Chicago—Three Women Crushed to Death.

More of the Tyng Reprimand Trial.

Progress of the Impeachment Trial.

The M'Gee Assassination Investigation.

AUGUSTA.

AUGUSTA, April 11.

The attention of General Meade having been called to the course pursued by Lieutenant Charles S. Johnson, Fifteenth Infantry, in arresting Judge Pope, of the Circuit Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, owing to a difference in the constitutions in empannelling juries. The General commanding publicly declares that his assumption of authority in making the arrest, is deserving of severe censure.

General Meade says that the object of his orders was not to declare that all juries must be in part composed of negroes, but simply to remove any distinction the laws of the States made in this District regarding color. The General trusts that this disapproval will render subordinate officers cautious, and to refrain from the hasty and unauthorized exercise of the power tested only in the highest military offices.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 11.

Rev. S. H. Tyng, jr., denies the statement that he has again violated the canons of his church, and says he has no intention of disobeying them, and has not disobeyed the church laws since his late trial, and neither has he received any notification of an arraignment for such alleged offenses; that he has never joined any plan to defy the authority of the church, and never will he attend another trial; and finally, that he will continue to preach from his pulpit until ejected therefrom by the police.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 11.

Fractional currency issued for the week, $408,000; amount shipped, $312,380; notes shipped, $597,435; National Bank notes issued, $751,670; fractional currency destroyed, $337,000; week's receipts for internal revenue, $2,705,843. The appropriation for defraying the expenses of collecting the revenue from customs, is exhausted, and the Secretary will be unable to pay the salaries of the Collectors and their employes until the appropriation is replenished by Congress. The funds for continuing the Treasury building extension, are also exhausted.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, April 11.

Last night, while St. Mary's church, corner of Wabash avenue and Madison streets, was crowded to its utmost capacity, one of the abutments supporting the floor gave way, causing a panic. The whole congregation rushed to the doors, and three women were crushed to death, another fatally injured, and five others wounded.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, April 11.

The river is rising slowly, with eight feet six inches in the canal. The weather is clear and pleasant.

EVANSVILLE.

EVANSVILLE, April 11.

The river is rising slowly, the weather is clear and pleasant. Passed. F. W. Strader for Louisville, and John H. Groesbeck for New Orleans.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, April 11.

The river is stationary. Arrived: W. R. Arthur and Mollie Able, from New Orleans, Rubicon from Vicksburg, Minnie from Little Rock.

CANADA.

OTTAWA, April 11.

The Government has evidence which very nearly completes the testimony against Whalen. The police have discovered new facts regarding the murder, but they are enjoined to secrecy.

FOREIGN.

PARIS, April 11.

The semi-official press, including the *Constitutionnel*, *La France*, *Patrie* and others, for several days, contained editorials calculated to allay public excitement over the new army bill. They also pronounce the apparently vast preparations for war as the best pledge for peace.

Fortieth Congress---First Session

WASHINGTON, April 11.

SENATE.

A motion of the Impeachment Managers that the Court allow as many of the managers and counsel to take part in the final argument as they thought proper, was objected to, and lays over until Monday.

General Thomas' examination was continued. He explained that the President had instructed him to take charge, but not to take possession of the War Office. He assented to the general correctness of Burleigh's testimony before the House Committee.

Cross examined by Mr. Butler: Was positive that the President only told him to take charge of the War Office; admitted calling Korsner a liar; never said we will have that fellow out of it; had not talked with General Townsend and others about his testimony given yesterday. He corrected certain portions of his testimony given before the Congressional Committee.

General W. T. Sherman testified: Had several interviews with the President regarding the difficulties before and after Stanton's removal.

Mr. Stanbery: What conversation took place between you and the President on the 14th or January in regard to Stanton's removal?

The managers objected, and the Chief Justice ruled that the question was admissable, and a decision was called for by the Senate, and the yeas and nays being taken, resulted 23 to 28, so the question was not allowed.

Mr. Stanbery: What do you know in regard to creating the Department of the Atlantic?

Mr. Butler said there would be no objection to this, provided the Chief Justice would instruct the witness not to give hearsay evidence.

Mr. Stanberry declined to give assurance that the witness would not be questioned about what the President had said.

The Chief Justice submitted the question of admissability, and the Senate, without a division, declared in the negative.

Mr. Stanberry then asked if the President had tendered him the position of Secretary of War *ad interim*.

Mr. Butler said this was another attempt to bring in the conversation.

The Senate decided that the question could be put, and the witness testified that the President had tendered him the office of Secretary of War *ad interim* on two occasions, viz: the 25th and 30th of January, and that he replied to them in writing on the 27th and 31st; Stanton was in office at the time.

Mr. Stanbery asked if anything else occurred between him and the President when the offer was first made.

Mr. Butler objected, and warned the Senate against this attempt to bring the conversation in under the pretense of proving an act.

Mr. Evarts called attention to Butler shaking his finger in warning to the Senate, and said nothing was plainer than the fact that the circumstances explaining an act were admissable as evidence concerning it.

Mr. Butler replied, and the question was submitted to the Senate; the yeas and nays being demanded, resulted, yeas 5, nays 29. So the question was decided inadmissable, and the examination was resumed.

At the second interview when the offer was made there was further conversation.

Mr. Stanbery then asked if the President had in any interview stated his intention in offering the witness the appointment.

Mr. Butler objected. The court said they only wished the ruling to appear on record. The question of its admissability was then submitted and decided in the negative by a vote of 7 to 44. Stanbery then offered the question, modified, "was anything said in that connection as to any purpose of bringing the matter before the courts?" Mr. Butler said he objected to it, as being outrageously leading, and said it was designed to gain time. Mr. Stanbery said this was too grave and solemn a proceeding to allow of low personalities, and said he repelled with scorn the insinuation that he had resorted to the tactics of an old Bailey practitioner, and with regard to the leading questions he had put, he said they were not as the managers admitted, intended to elicit anything the witness was not about to say, without their leading form.

Mr. Henderson offered a question, as to whether in any interview the President had expressed any intention with regard to making the appointment.

Objection was made to it, and the yeas and nays being taken, it was not admitted, by 25 to 27. The Senate then refused to adjourn by a vote of 25 to 27; and Stanbery asking the question whether at either interview was anything said in reference to the use of force, intimidation or threatening to get possession of the War Department, or to the contrary, objection was made and sustained without a division.

The Senate again refused to adjourn by a vote of 30 to 30.

Mr. Stanbery said that under these rulings the counsel were not prepared at present to ask further questions of General Sherman, but perhaps they would desire to hear him upon Monday. Whereupon, at 4:40 the court adjourned.

HOUSE.

Mr. Woodward introduced a bill to test the constitutionality of the questionable acts of Congress, which was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The first section provides that whenever any act of Congress shall be vetoed by the President on the ground of the unconstitutionality of any of its provisions, and shall afterward be enacted into a law over the veto, it shall be lawful for the President to order the Attorney General to file in the Supreme Court a feigned issue, to test the constitutionality of such parts of the enactment as were specially objected to by him.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 2d instant, by the Rev. E. N. Sawtelle, of Tuscumbia, Alabama, Mr CHARLES S. CHILDRESS, of Tuscumbia, Alabama, to Miss ANNIE L. MARSHBURN, of this city.

DIED.

On the 10th instant, of consumption, after an illness of some months, Mr. GEORGE C. HARRISON, aged fifty-seven years, formerly a resident of Tunica county, Miss.

His funeral will take place to-day, Sunday, from the residence of his son-in-law, William H. Clarke, at three o'clock p.m., corner Wellington and Monroe streets. Services by Rev. Dr. Wheat.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

MASONIC NOTICE.

A SUMMONS is hereby issued to the officers and members of HAMILTON LODGE, No. 299, to attend a Master Mason's Lodge, at the Lodge room (Angerona,) Odd Fellows' Building, TUESDAY EVENING, April 14, at half past seven o'clock, for important special business. Every member of the Lodge is expected to be present at the meeting.

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ON the FIFTH DAY OF MAY, 1868, I will sell in front of the Internal Revenue Office, No. 16 Madison street, the following described property:

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One Lot on North Side of Beale Street,

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Second Race—Stake; purse $200; mile heats, three in five; free for all; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

SECOND DAY.

First Race—Purse $250; mile heats, for three year olds; entrance $15, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse.

Second Race—Purse $200; two mile heats; free for all.

THIRD DAY.

First Race—Gayoso House Sweepstakes, for three year olds; dash of two miles; entrance $20, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse; Gayoso House to add $500; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FOURTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $200; mile heats, three in five; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FIFTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $200; two mile heats; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

SIXTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $200; three mile heats; free for all.

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THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

SUNDAY, : : : APRIL 12, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL
OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

Officers and conductors of railroads are requested to give no free transportation to any one on the credit of the Avalanche.

M. C. GALLAWAY & CO.

The pews in Calvary church will be rented in the basement of the church on Easter Monday, April 13th, at half-past seven p.m.

RELIGIOUS.—Elder Talbot Fanning will begin a series of discourses at the Linden street Christian Church to-day, at eleven o'clock a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Sabbath school at nine a.m. Preaching by Rev. J. R. Graves, at eleven a.m. and half-past seven p.m. Subject for the evening, "Moralism."

Rev. R. C. Ransom will preach at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church, Court street, at half-past ten a.m., and eight p.m. Sunday school at half-past eight p.m.

There will be preaching at the Central Methodist church, at 10½ a.m., by Rev. R. M. Patterson, pastor, and at 7½ p.m., by Rev. J. F. Truslow, formerly of the St. Louis Conference. The Sabbath school will hold a memorial meeting at 9 a.m. in consideration of the death of their late Superintendent, Professor J. W. Stacy, who died on the 8th instant.

ST MARY'S CHURCH CONCERT.—The concert, for the benefit of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, to be given Tuesday night, will be one of the most pleasant entertainments ever given in the city. Professor S. H. Sabatzky is director, and the principal amateurs and professionals of the city will participate. The proceeds are to be applied to the church, which is much in need of funds, and we hope there will be a large attendance.

CITIZENS' UNION BANK.—Mr. Goodlett has been in the employ of this bank as book-keeper for the past seven months, and having won the esteem and confidence of the Director has been advanced to a position worthy of the honor. The many old friends of Mr. Goodlett will doubtless be glad to know of his appointment of such trust.

MR. MULLALY'S LECTURE.—We hope that no one will forget that Mr. John Mullaly will lecture at the New Memphis Theater to-morrow night, for the benefit of the orphans. He should, and we doubt not will have, one of the largest audiences ever assembled within the walls of the theater. Let the people turn out *en masse*.

THE WHARFBOAT QUESTION.

Interesting Discussion in the Board of Aldermen Yesterday.

It is Resolved to Remove all the Wharf-Boats—An Injunction Threatened.

The Board of Aldermen met pursuant to a call of the members, and a message was read from the Mayor respecting the action he had taken in the matter of removing the wharfboats.

Alderman Johnson called for the reading of every action taken by the previous Board, and in a lengthy talk urged upon the Board the "absolute necessity" of respecting a petition from two hundred and fifty citizens. This number completely overcome the gentleman's ability to entertain any other idea.

Alderman Passmore was heavy on the Mayor, and called his action, in ordering the wharfboats removed, a usurpation of power, which should never be permitted; told of the furore created about the wharfboats; was particularly heavy on the Chairman of the Landing Committee—little Wickersnapper—and aired his oratory on the subject of snap judgment's in a way which was more emphatic than convincing.

The Mayor repelled the assertion of usurping power, by referring to the resolution passed in December last by the late Board; and denied the right of Mr. Passmore to talk in that way.

Alderman Passmore said that the resolution was rescinded, because another one had been referred to the Landing Committee; and closed his second effort by another attack on the chairman of that committee; closing his remarks with an expression of regret at having wounded the feelings of the Mayor by stating what he called facts.

Alderman Wickersham, as Chairman of the Landing Committee, stated a great number of facts concerning the wharfboats which many of the members had been unacquainted with; showing the amount of space occupied by wharfboats to be so great as to prevent boats from landing.

Alderman Johnson again got in his pole, to give the wharfboats a shove ahead, but did not succeed in making an impression, his only text being "light, more light."

Alderman Moffet said he disliked to spoil an oratorical flourish by relating a few facts, but as Alderman Passmore was so fond of facts, and talked of the wharfboat *furore* so energetically, he was induced to add a little to the sound, especially as it had all been, hitherto, in the wharfboat interest. He defended the Mayor from such unjust attacks; and proved conclusively that the Mayor, McDavitt, had only done his duty, holding up to ridicule the absurdity that the election of a previous Board was not binding on the new, on account of a resolution on the subject being entertained and referred to a Committee. He exposed the fallacy that the city derived a great revenue from the wharfboats, by showing that the St. Louis one—which appears to be his favorite—only paid thirty dollars per month; and called upon the Board to sustain the whole commercial interests of Memphis, instead of allowing a few wharfboat owners to dictate to the Board, and treat the officer with disrespect. Slyly hinting that as "usurpation" was, at present, a popular theme, his colleague had adopted; and hoped he had found it good.

Alderman Johnson presented a resolution referring the whole matter to the Landing Committee and City Attorney. This raised another discussion, but as nothing new was evoked, there is no occasion to report more than that the resolution was laid on the table.

Alderman Wickersham offered a resolution requesting the Mayor to enforce the action of the late Board, which was adopted by a vote of nine to four. Thus ended the wharfboat question in the Board of Aldermen; but it is understood that the wharfboat men will apply for an injunction, when the courts will put a quietus on the whole matter.

LIFE ON THE "ARKANSAW."

Carpet-bag Legislator's Interfere in Behalf of a "Man and Brother."

The Ozark arrived last night, several weeks out from Fort Smith. She grounded about a hundred times. At various points below Fort Smith, members of the Black Crook Arkansas Legislature got aboard, and succeeded in disgusting everybody but themselves. One of the deck hands proving unwieldy, Mr. Britten, the mate, cuffed, paid off, discharged and ordered him ashore. The affair produced intense excitement in the bosoms of the carpet-baggers, who held a meeting and resolved that the nigger should be carried to Little Rock. Mr. Britten replied that the cuffee would be compelled to tramp. He drew a repeater and invited the whole pack to come ahead if they desired amusement. Cuffee tramped, and almost the entire night was spent in more resolutions of direful import, one of which threatened to seize the boat. But if any seizure was made, the Captain was not made aware of it.

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THE SPRING RACES.

Extensive Preparations for the Spring Meeting to Commence on the 27th.

Condition of the Course—List of Horses Already on Hand—Fine Sport in Prospect.

The approaching spring meeting at the Memphis Association course; under the auspices of the National Congress, is exciting no little interest, not only here, but among turfmen generally in the South and Northwest. The splendid races last fall, and the enviable reputation made by the course as a "fast track," caused turfmen to look to Memphis meetings with far more interest than was ever before shown; and the bare announcement of a week's races here, is now sufficient to cause lovers of and participators in racing, everywhere, to be on the *qui vive* for rare and profitable sport.

As has already been announced the opening of the spring meeting will take place on the 27th instant, continuing one week. For several weeks the officers of the Association have been actively preparing, and even now everything is in fine condition for the event. Captain Lail, the Superintendent, has been actively engaged improving and beautifying the track and grounds, giving the matter his personal attention, and combining efficiency with zeal in the work on hand. The track is in much better condition than last fall when it won a splendid reputation for fast time; the spacious grounds in the interior have been thoroughly cleansed of weeds and other obstructions and sowed in oats, which will soon present a beautiful appearance. The area devoted to the pavilions, carriage stands and stables is in the best order, and the stables themselves models of neatness and cleanliness.

Accepting an invitation from our friend, Captain M C Costillo, the well known and popular turfman, we rode to the course yesterday morning, arriving in time to witness the exercising of quite a number of horses already here in training for the meeting. All made good appearance, and furnished indubitable evidence of being carefully and thoroughly governed. Nearly all the horses on the grounds at present are young, the majority three years old, only one, Duncan & McMahon's "Reelfoot," being five years of age. Viola, the noted racer running last fall, and Smith's Rochester stallion, are with Reelfoot, the only animals out of fifteen not three year olds.

As a matter of no little interest, we give a list of the stables now on the grounds:

M C Costillo's Stable.—Br f, 3 yrs old, by Shelby, dam sister of Mary Wynne; s m by Jack Malone, dam Carrie Cage by imp Sovereign; b c Seagull, 3 yrs old, by Bill Cheatham, dam Seumoe by Childe Harold.

Duncan & McMahon's Stable.—C s Viola, 4 yrs old, by Jack Malone, dam second Wagner.

Crowley's Stable.—B m Reelfoot, 5 yrs old, by Reserve, dam imp Scythian; c f Unit, 3 yrs old, sire unknown, dam imp Glencoe.

D W S Tremaine's Stable.—S m Magazine, 4 yrs old, by West Australian, dam a Wagner mare.

P. Mitchell's Stable.—B c Elgin, 3 years old, by Shelby; dam imp Emu; b c Pat Cleburne, 5 yrs old, by Hiawatha, dam full sister of Socks; br c Perhaps, 2 yrs old by Don Juan, dam mare by Steele; b f 2 yrs old, by Wm R Gould, by Red Eye, dam imp Swyborough.

Smith's Stable.—S c Fannie Moore, 3 yrs old, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Albion; b c Beauty, 3 yrs old, by Bonnie Scotland, dam A la Mode; s c Columbus, 3 yrs old, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Fashion; s s Rochester, 4 yrs old, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Lady Lancaster.

Next week two or three more stables will be here, and twenty-five or thirty five horses, to run in New Orleans during the week, which commenced yesterday, will close the week following. The celebrated Pat Malloy, that made 1:46 in Louisville, and Hazard, are among the animals certain to be present. Costello's Lexington colt, Agnes Donovan, engaged to run in the great stake over the Metairie Course, will be on the ground, and may run. In due time we shall announce the arrivals of stables; but enough is furnished above to guarantee a week's fine racing.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

There was frost Friday night.

Mr. Everett, of England, is at the Overton.

Fourteen cases were tried in Police Court yesterday, and $43 collected.

The name of the chap arrested for trying to "shove" counterfeit nickel is John Hogan.

The conclusion of Tuesday's Council Proceedings appears on the fourth page.

The County Commissioners were not in session yesterday.

Thanks to Mr. Felix Cross, of the Southern Express Company, for late Southern papers.

We learn that Judge Waldran's salary has been raised.

There was a false alarm of fire yesterday afternoon.

A soldier named William B. Kellogg was killed near Grenada on the 7th, by a negro.

About $2,500 were appropriated during the session of the Tipton County Court last week.

We had the pleasure of a call yesterday from Mr. Sparks, of the Somerville *Falcon*, the Conservative organ of Fayette.

Mr. James J. Stone's residence, near Covington, Tipton county, was destroyed by fire a few nights since.

During yesterday and the day before Mr. Mullaly received a large number of visits of personal or political friends.

John Glass (colored) has been required to give bonds in $4,000 to answer the charge of highway robbery.

George Vinson is under arrest, charged with stealing two hundred dollars from Mr. J. W. Berlin's store.

We see it mentioned in the papers that Mr. A. A. Barnes, General Ticket Agent of the Memphis and Charleston railroad was in New Orleans a day or two since, arranging with the railroad men for the reduction of fare North and East this summer.

It is said that Grandmother Hunter will not hold court this week, the failure of her late effort to create Radical capital rendering it necessary to indulge in the "scare" business a little longer.

Major Charles L Nelson, formerly of Memphis, but now of New York, is spending a few days in the city, stopping at the Overton.

The fancy dress and masquerade ball at Madame Liese's dancing academy, 221 Second and Adams streets, promises to be a pleasant affair. Tickets, $5, to be obtained of the courteous and obliging Mr. M. F. Murgrove, at Chandler's drug store.

We are indebted to those enterprising booksellers and stationers, Messrs. Cowperthwaite, Chapman & Co., 279½ Main street, for a bottle of Carter's combined writing and copying ink, which we can recommend as of a superior quality.

Among the arrivals at the Overton yesterday, was Mr. Walter C. Carr, of the firm of Carr & Lake, of St. Louis. He is the President of the Boat man's In-surance and Trust Company, and has been for many years interested in Southern trade.

The venerable Judge Archibald Wright, the new member from the Tenth ward, appeared and participated in the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen yesterday afternoon. It is gratifying to record the accession of such able and true members as Judge Wright, whose presence in the Board will not fail to exert a most salutary influence.

The fine singing, at the Varieties, of Miss Beatrice Kent and Misses DeVere, Howland and Wallace, is proving a most attractive feature of each evening's performances, as the constantly increasing attendance abundantly evidences. Besides, there are dancing, burlesques, plantation scenes, etc., the whole forming an entertainment worth double the price of admission.

Francisco & Wiggin, hatters, 309 Main street, have the largest assortment of hats in the city, and are selling at prices to suit the times. Call and see them. 2t

NUT COAL.—A fresh supply just received and for sale by Brown & Jones, 247 Second street.

Silk sacques, new styles, just received at Hersog & Bro's.

Ladies, consult your own interest. Price Walker Bros. & Co's latest styles of dress goods.

Fifth avenue spring style dress hat at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 2t

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke. Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street. tf

Parasols! Parasols! latest styles, just received at L. Kremer.

Grover & Baker's celebrated elastic stitch sewing machines 309 Main street. 1w

Doors, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 364 Second street. 1m

Cakes, ice cream and soda water, every day and evening, at Burton's, corner of Fourth and Poplar street. Separate saloon for ladies and families. tf

The latest styles of hats, at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street, which they are selling at less than New York prices. 2t

Corr! Corr!! Corr!!!.—The large and splendid stock of boots, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Handlan & Co.'s, No. 279 Main street. 1m

THE SHERIFF'S BOND.

Real Estate Worth $40,000 Taken for a Bond of $100,000.

A Gross Outrage on the Tax Payers—Some Facts to Think About.

As is well known, Wickersnapper found no little difficulty in filling his bond for the Trusteeship, notwithstanding the fact that Commissioner White spared no effort to force it through under the lash. It was several times refused and referred, but finally passed a majority after the addition of two new names. Several members saw fit to obtain consent to employ parties to ascertain the value of the real estate owned by the original bondsmen. Several days spent in a search developed that the unincumbered *real estate* of the bondsmen was worth only $25,000. The bond calling for $100,000, the Board again refused to receive the names. Soon afterward two more bondsmen were added. One qualified to $15,000 and the other to $5,000—making $40,000 in all. Suddenly the Board concluded this would do, and real estate worth but $40,000 is accepted as sufficient to cover a bond of $100,000, which, at that figure, was not more than half large enough. Dr. White managed to press the matter through for reasons best known to himself, and the tax payers can console themselves with the reflection that they have a custodian of their funds whose bond represent only two fifths of the amount required, and who is himself irresponsible for the balance. Mr. Leonard, late Trustee, was required to give a bond of $250,000. He was more responsible every way than Wickersnapper, whose personal integrity, however much that may be worth, is the only check upon his actions.

Wickersnapper is a straight Radical, in full fellowship with the vultures preying on the vitals of this tax and carpetbagger ridden county.

He may be the most honorable, upright man in his dealings in the city; but should anything go wrong; should a hundred thousand or so, through any little inadvertance, go the way of the late school fund, we ask, in the language of "truly loil" Africa, "What's de money to cum from?" What motive had the Board in accepting this glaringly insufficient bond in the face of known facts? It does not much resemble an honorable one? We call on Mr. Merriman, who, we believe, protested against the gross outrage on the tax-payers, to give a history of the scaly, disreputable transaction.

ALLEGED REVENUE FRAUDS

The Evans Case.

The Evans case again occupied the attention of United States Commissioner Morrison yesterday afternoon.

Judge Perkins opened for the defense, and was followed on the same side by Colonel McRea.

Major Warren, United States District Attorney, made the closing speech for the prosecution.

Commissioner Morrison's decision will be given to morrow morning.

Fare reduced to New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, via the Memphis and Louisville Railroad line. The cheapest route, the quickest route, the best route in every respect, is via the Memphis and Louisville Railroad line. Buy your tickets at the Company's office, No. 237½ Main street, or at the depot at the head of Main street. Asa Hill, Passenger Agent; Sam. B. Jones, Superintendent.

Ladies black silk parasols, just received per express from New York, at Walker Bros. & Co. 229 Main street.

Our line of dress goods will please the most fastidious. Ladies, call and examine. Walker Bros. & Co.

WANTED.—One milliner, two dress makers and a lady who understands running a sewing machine, at Mrs. Sallie Sullivan's, 257½ Main street.

Herzog & Bro., 316½ Main street, call the attention of the ladies to their large stock of dress trimmings, just received. The ladies of Memphis feel the want of a house that pays attention to this branch of the dry good business, and we can say for Herzog & Bro. that they have the most complete line of those goods in the city. Buttons of every hue, laces of all colors; fringes, gimps, bugle and bead headings, in large assortment, are kept there, and daily received from the East.

Beautiful spring poplins, mozambiques, lawns and white goods, at Herzog & Bro's., 316½ Main street.

BOCK! BOCK!! BOCK!!! AND NO HUMBUG!—The celebrated Bock, of Munich Bavaria, has passed through Kwala, Indiana, and is stopped at the well known brewery of Louis Rice, where he loaded himself with Bock beer, and immediately started for Memphis. The telegraph announces that he will be in Memphis April 10, Easter Monday, and all Easter week, at H. Achle's, corner of Union and Second streets, where he will show his horns, and everybody is invited to come and take a horn of Bock beer, fine free lunch, and everything to gladden the heart of man.

DR. JAMES.—There are but four days remaining in which Dr. James can be consulted in Memphis and those requiring his services should not delay in calling upon him. We have ample evidence that he has no equal in the treatment of chronic diseases, seminal weakness, impotency and all venereal diseases. Rooms, 199 Main street, over Wheaton's hat store, Webb Block. Office hours nine a.m. to one p.m., and from two to six p.m. To-day (Sunday) he will be found at his office from ten a.m. to one p.m.

Robeson, Sneed & Co., 261 Main street, are now prepared to exhibit to their customers a very handsome stock of clothing suitable for spring and summer wear, made from choice goods, at moderate prices.

At 229 Main street, Walker Bros. & Co. offer great inducements to wholesale dealers. Their stock is now complete, and will compare with any in the Southwest, in quality and price.

One of the greatest scourges our community is subject to about this time of the year, is the buffalo gnat. Should you wish to procure a sure preventative call at the Pioneer Lamp and Oil Store, 40 Jefferson street, where you can also procure the Sun, Hinge, Comet, and all kinds of burners, lamps, coal and lard oils, soaps, etc. 2t

Fringes, gimps, buttons, bugle trimmings, and colored laces of the latest style, just received, at Herzog & Bro's., 316½ Main street.

Goods received this day at Kremer's.

Grover & Baker's celebrated elastic stitch sewing machines 309 Main street. 1w

Best of hard wood, sawed or split, by the cord or load, for sale by Bigley, Mellersh & Co., No. 25 south Court street, and corner of Main and Pontotoc streets.

Striped and checked silk poplins just received at Walker Bros. & Co's.

SPRING OPENING.—Mrs. A. A. Newman, milliner, No. 156 Main street, opposite the Overton Hotel, will open on to-morrow a fine selection of spring goods, just received. The ladies will bear this in mind, and be on hand to have first choice of the many styles that will be displayed for their satisfaction.

OUR DECISION ON SEWING MACHINES.—Being thoroughly conversant with all the leading sewing machines, we hesitate not in recommending the Wheeler & Wilson improved lock-stitch machine to all wishing a reliable family machine, as being far superior to all other machines, for durability, ease of operating, neatness of work, and the great variety of work they are capable of doing. Call and see them at the sale room of A. Sumner & Co., 256 Second street. tf

CITIZENS' UNION BANK,
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, April 11, 1868.

E. W. Wickersham having resigned the office of Cashier, H. E. Goodlett was elected thereto.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Received, those new styles of kid gloves, all sizes, at L. Kremer's.

Grover & Baker's celebrated elastic stitch sewing machines 309 Main street. 1w

Boys' and youths' clothing at greatly reduced prices. WALKER BROS. & CO.

A full line of gents' clothing and furnishing goods, at Walker Brothers & Co's.

The finest quality of hats at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street, at prices to suit the times. 2t

Ladies, come and look at our house furnishing goods. They must go, regardless of cost or value. ROB & ENOCH, No. 203 Main street.

R. R. Heath, of the firm of Heath, Lewis & Fraser, will be in attendance on the Supreme Court, at Brownsville, during its present term, and will be pleased to attend to any business entrusted to him. 1w

Jewelry! Jewelry! Jewelry! all new designs, of coral, gold, steel, cameo and jet, just received at L. Kremer's.

[OFFICIAL.]

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

By Alderman Cicalla:

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to report to the next meeting of this Board whether the right of way can be procured free of charge to the city for widening Main street, on west side, from Trezevant street to Calhoun street, so that the width of Main street shall be the same below as above Trezevant street.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, That the city engineer be instructed to have a brick or stone pipe culvert constructed across Calhoun street, between Main and Shelby, where the present bridge now stands.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be instructed to notify the property owners on the east side of Tennessee street, from Huling to Calhoun streets, to grade and lay down a brick or plank sidewalk in front of their property within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By the same;

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to have the ditch filled at the intersection of Tennessee and Huling streets without delay.

Adopted.

By the same;

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be instructed to notify the property owners on the north side of Trezevant street, from Clinton to Tennessee streets, to grade and lay down a plank sidewalk within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By Alderman Cartright:

Resolved, etc., That property owners on the south side of Court street, between Third and the Southern Express stable, nearly opposite Fourth street, be required to clean out and repair the gutters in front of their property, as the Street Commissioner may direct, and to build good brick gutters where none exist, and that notice be given by the Sergeant-at-arms to property-owners, and that they be required to have the work done in thirty days.

Adopted.

By Alderman Wickersham:

Resolved, etc., That the Sergeant-at-arms be and he is hereby ordered to have all the houses or tenements of squatters on city property, between Front street and the river, removed within twenty days.

Adopted.

By Alderman Wickersham:

Resolved, That Eugene Mageveny, William Chase and M. A. Bickford, be and they are hereby appointed a committee to examine into the affairs of the City Hospital and report the result to this Board, together with such suggestions as they may deem most to the interest of the city in the future management thereof.

Tabled.

By the same:

Resolved, That the Chair appoint a special committee, as recommended by His Honor the Mayor, with instructions that they confer with the Chamber of Commerce with the view of reducing the taxes on privileges, and report at the next meeting of this Board.

By Alderman Glancy:

Resolved, That the City Engineer be, and is hereby athorized to erect a lamp-post at the intersection of Winchester and Front streets.

Referred to Gas Committee.

By the same:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby ordered by this Board to lay down a plank crossing on Commerce street, below Third street, at the corner of the alley.

Adopted.

MAYOR'S MESSAGE.

That portion of the message on privilege tax was referred to the ordinance Committee.

ALDERMAN TENTH WARD.

To fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Alderman Peck an election was had with the following result, Alderman Ellis manning J. M. Bowring; Alderman Huling, Judge Wright, Alderman Passmore, George Dixon; and Alderman Black, R. Savage.

First ballot—Provine, 4; Dixon, 3; Wright 6, and Savage, 3.

Second ballot—Provine, 3; Wright, 7; Dixon, 2, and Savage, 4.

Third ballot—Wright, 8; Savage, 5, and Provine, 3.

Fourth ballot—Wright, 9; Savage, 7.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Alderman O'Donnell was placed upon the Improvement Committee, and Alderman Holst upon the Ordinance, in place of Alderman O'Donnell.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

L. P. RICHARDS, REGISTER.

Called Meeting.

MEMPHIS, Friday, April 10.

At a called meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, held yesterday, April 9th, 1868, present—Hon. E. McDavitt, Mayor, Chairman Swayne, Aldermen Glancy, Johnson, Black, Cartright, O'Donnel, Ruffin, Lemon, Renner, Moffet, Passmore and Ellis.

A quorum being announced, the Chairman took his seat and called the Board to order, when the roll of Aldermen was called and the object of the meeting announced to be for the purpose of taking action on petition of the contractors for the Nicolson pavement.

Alderman Lemon stated that the Improvement Committee had no report to make; that the petition of the contractors had been withdrawn.

COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTS.

The following account was reported favorably upon, and allowed: E. Marshall, $100.

MAYOR'S MESSAGE.

Alderman Passmore moved that that portion of the Mayor's message in relation to fixing the rate of tax for the 41st and 42d corporate years be referred to a special committee of three for report.

Motion carried, and Aldermen Passmore, Ruffin and Johnson appointed the committee.

Upon motion, the committee retired from the Council room to prepare their report.

CITY TAX,

After an absence of fifteen minutes, the committee submitted the following ordinance as their report, which was, by a suspension of the rules, passed, upon its second and final reading.

Be it ordained, etc., That the city tax on all property assessed for the forty-first corporate year, shall be and is hereby made as follows: One dollar and ten cents on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in administering the affairs of the city; fifty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of paying the interest on the past due indebtedness of the city; and twenty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the city schools.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

The following account was reported favorably upon and allowed: George Couch & Co., $918.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

L. R. RICHARDS, Register.

Called Meeting.

MEMPHIS, Friday, April 10.

At a called meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen held yesterday April 10, 1868.

Present—Hon. E. M. McDavit, Mayor pro tem, Chairman Swayne, Aldermen Powers, Johnson, Black, Wickersham, O'Donnell, Holst, Cicalla, Lemon, Renner, Passmore, Moffet, Ellis and Wright.

A quorum being announced, the Chairman took his seat and called the Board to order, when the roll of Aldermen was called, and the object of the meeting announced by the following:

MAYORS MESSAGE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, April 11, 1868.

Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: You have been called together at the instance of three members of your body to take action upon the matter of the wharfboats.

On the 27th of December last year, your predecessors passed a resolution withdrawing from the wharfboats the privilege of laying at the wharf, and instructed the wharf master, after fifteen days notice, if the boats were not removed, to have the same done. This authority was in force when we came into office, but the execution of the order was delayed at the instance of these boats, from the last of January until on yesterday, when the wharf master was ordered to execute the resolution passed by the Board.

You are now called upon to take action in this matter. Numerous complaints have reached you, no doubt, as they have me, that the present system of wharfboats, as they are permitted at our landing, is not only a matter of injustice to our merchants, but of actual injury to several important interests of the city.

The prosperity of the city of Memphis from its river interests, is dependent not upon the number of large steamers that pass and simply touch at our landing to receive way freight, but our growth and revenue are mainly derived from the organization of packet lines, terminating here, and which purchase their supplies from our own merchants, and repair their boats at our own landing.

These wharfboats, many if not all of them, engage in a commission and warehouse business. They not only come into competition with our merchants, but by the facilities we afford them, they are able to get the monopoly of their peculiar character of trade. They not only receive commissions for receiving and forwarding, but pay for storage of goods, else a revenue from the wharfboats might compensate for the loss. But resident capital and the trade of the merchant and his friends, constitutes the matter of the city, and constitutes to its growth and prosperity.

Other large cities upon the river are not annoyed with this trouble. New Orleans, St. Louis, Cincinnati and others do their immense trade without their aid. Certainly we are not more dependent upon them than these cities.

There is another controlling consideration that should influence our action. We need the landing.

By the inroads of the river upon the landing north of Poplar street, we are confined to that portion of the landing between Union and Poplar streets. We are now pressed for space, and have not landing sufficient for our steamboats, barges and flatboats. These wharfboats occupy several hundred feet of our wharf, which is needed and can be profitably used for commercial purposes.

I hope this matter will now be definitely settled by you. Shall the Board of Mayor and Aldermen be the proper guardians of the rights of the citizen or these wharfboats control the public *landing*? It is for you to prescribe rules for *them*, and not for them to dictate terms to you.

If you need any information relative to the former action of the Board touching these wharfboats, it can readily be furnished you by the Secretary of the Board.

E. MCDAVITT,
Mayor *pro. tem.*

Alderman Johnson presented the following resolution:

Resolved, etc., That the Landing Committee, with the City Attorney, investigate the charges made against the wharf-boats at the river, in reference to their doing a commission business, to the detriment of the commercial interests of the city, and of the necessity, if any, of their remaining at the wharf.

Alderman Wickersham presented the following as a substitute for this presented by Alderman Johnson:

Resolved, etc., That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to carry out the order formerly passed by the late Board respecting the removal of the wharf-boats from the city landing.

The resolution of Alderman Johnson was, upon motion, laid on the table.

Alderman Johnson then presented the following, as an amendment to the resolution of Alderman Wickersham:

Resolved, etc., That the action of this Board, in reference to the removal of the St. Louis Packet Qompany wharf boat, be suspended until the next regular meeting of this Board, in compliance with a large petition of the merchants.

The foregoing was, upon motion, tabled by the following vote:

Ayes—Powers, Wickersham, Black, Holst, O'Donnell, Cicalla, Lemon, Moffet, Ellis and Wright.

Nays—Johnson, Passmore, Renner and Lemon.

The resolution of Alderman Wickersham was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Powers, Wickersham, Black, Holst, O'Donnell, Cicalla, Lemon, Moffet, Ellis and Wright.

Nays—Johnson, Renner and Passmore.

By Alderman Cicalla:

An ordinance to alter the width of the sidewalks on Shelby street.

1st. All curb stones hereafter to be laid on Shelby street, between Beale and Calhoun streets, shall be so placed as to leave a sidewalk of eleven feet in width.

2d. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the above are hereby repealed.

Passed first reading and referred to the Paving Committee.

Alderman Wright was assigned to the committee of which Alderman Peck was a member, and also to the Finance Committee.

Thereupon the Board adjourned

L. R. RICHARDS, Register.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A cough, a cold or a sore throat requires immediate attention and should be checked. If allowed to continue, irritation of the lungs, a permanent throat disease or consumption is often the result. Brown's Bronchial Troches, having a direct influence to the parts, give immediate relief. For bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, consumptive and throat diseases, Troches are used with always good success. Singers and public speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Obtain only "Brown's Bronchial Troches," and do not take any of the worthless imitations that may be offered. Sold everywhere. 20dm

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation; will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. We have put up and sold this article for years, and can say in confidence and truth of it what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed in a single instance to affect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of commendation of its medical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we know," after years of experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfilment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in from one to twenty minutes after the syrup is administered. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. Be sure and call for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," having the fac-simile of "Curtis & Perkins" on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Price only thirty-five cents per bottle. Offices—215 Fulton street, New York; 205 High Holborn, London England; 441 St. Paul street, Manoral, Canada.

Bonnets! Bonnets! new shapes and beautiful styles, just received at L. Kremer's.

FRESH ARRIVAL.—Francisco & Wiggin, hatters, 309 Main street, have just received over fifty new styles of hats. 2t

NOTICE TO DRY GOODS MERCHANTS.—TO JOBBERS AS WELL AS RETAILERS.—Having bought an immense stock of staple and fancy dry goods before the recent advance, we will offer them for cash as low as such cannow be imported from the Eastern market. 1w 242 Main street, cor. Jefferson.

Murray and Ridgely, merchant tailors, 31 Madison street, have received a well selected stock of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which for style and quality, cannot be surpassed in this or any other city. 1m

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, April 12.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Des Arc	GREENVILLE	5 p m.
Celeste	ARKANSAS RIVER	5 p.m.
Mary Erwin	ARKANSAS RIVER	5 p.m.
Belle Memphis	ST. LOUIS	5 p.m.

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather clear and pleasant. The river here has fallen three inches in the past twenty-four hours, and has fallen two feet altogether. At Cairo the river is declining. At St. Louis, on Thursday, the weather was cold and disagreeable. The river rose two feet in forty-eight hours, and came to a stand Thursday evening. The Ohio is rising slowly at Pittsburg and Cincinnati, with nineteen and a half feet water in the channel at the latter place. At Louisville the river is stationary, with seven feet in the canal and five and a half feet on the falls. White river is still declining. The Arkansas is falling, with seventeen inches in the channel from Fort Smith to Little Rock, and three feet from Little Rock to the mouth.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Celeste, Little Rock
" Olive Branch, New Orleans
" Lexington, St. Louis
" Hero, New Orleans
" Richmond, Louisville
" Ozark, Arkansas river

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Olive Branch, St. Louis
" Belle St. Louis, St. Louis
" Lexington, Vicksburg
" Richmond, New Orleans
" Silver Moon, Cincinnati
" Hero, Cairo
" Liberty No. 2, White river

BOATS IN PORT.

Ozark and Celeste.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Business on the wharf yesterday was not very active. Freights for the Ohio were scarce.

The Liberty No. 2 cleared for White river with a good trip of people and freight.

The Silver Moon left for Cincinnati at five p.m. Captain Ben Merrilles refused freight because there was none. In order to make a good run, he took on a large amount of fuel, and trimmed his boat for a race and left, with the determination of beating the Belle Lee's time to Louisville as bad as the R. E. Lee beat her. The Silver Moon will undoubtedly pass the Belle Lee at Louisville.

The magnificent passenger steamer Des Arc, Captain John Elliott, will be at the wharf Monday morning to receive for Helena, Moon Lake, and all way points in the bends as far down as Greenville. The Des Arc is A No. 1 boat, and in charge of reliable officers. Billy Miller and Cad. Hanks, clever and attentive gentlemen, are her clerks. She will be the only boat leaving for the bends on Monday. The Des Arc will hereafter make semi-weekly trips in the Greenville trade, leaving here every Monday and Fridays.

The Ozark arrived from Fort Smith last evening with fifty-seven bales of cotton, having reshipped four hundred and seventy-nine bales at Napoleon for New Orleans. She was thirty-two days in making the round trip. She was caught above Little Rock by the sudden decline in the river, and was compelled to jump all the sand bars to get out. Captain Berry is of the opinion that she wore the bottom out of the river in some places in forcing herself over the sand bars. Jimmy Thompson and Bob shields, her clerks, were home-sick and disgusted with the trip. She leaves for a return trip on Thursday.

The Richmond passed down yesterday for New Orleans, with a tremendous load.

The Olive Branch passed up for St. Louis, and the Lexington passed down for Vicksburg.

The old reliable White river mail packet Commercial has been put in good repair, and is now as good as new. Captain John Edson, her efficient mate, has superintended the work on her. She has also received a new coat of paint, and looks handsome in her new dress. The Commercial has passed inspection, and stands A No. 1, and is one of the safest boats on the Western waters. She will resume her regular trips on Tuesday, leaving at five p.m. Captain Billy Ashford, as experienced and worthy officer, commands.

The Magenta, Pauline Carroll and Henry Amos are due from New Orleans.

The Great Republic left New Orleans last evening for St. Louis.

The Minnoola is due from the Ohio, and leaves on Tuesday for Cincinnati.

The Belle Memphis, Captain Dan. Musselman, is the regular Monday St. Louis packet.

The Celeste, Captain Pritchard, leaves on Monday for the Arkansas. Mr. Lane prsides in the office.

The Darling, and Empire and Mary Erwin are due from Cincinnati.

The fine steamer Mary Erwin, in command of Captain Rube Haines, will leave the wharf on Monday, at five p.m., for the Arkansas river and all points on the Arkansas.

The Mollie Able was to have left St. Louis yesterday for New Orleans. The Rubicon was to have left for Vicksburg, and the Minnie for the Arkansas river.

The St. Patrick will arrive on Monday from White river and leave on Tuesday for Louisville.

The Indiana is due from the Ohio, and will leave on Monday for New Orleans.

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, April 12, 1868.

We have no change to report in local finances. Money

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Advertisements for three months same proportion, less ten per cent; six months same proportion, less twenty per cent.

[OFFICIAL.]

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

[CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.]

By Alderman Cartwright:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Americus Donahoe states that on the 16th day of June, A. D. 1859, he leased from R. C. Brinkley twenty-eight feet front by one hundred and forty-three feet deep, part of lot 574, fronting on Fourth street, South of Madison street, and agreed to pay all the State and county and city taxes. The twenty-eight feet lies on the north side of the lot. On this north side of the lot is a public alley eight feet in width, of which is taken off from the north side of petitioners lot of twenty-eight feet front. Petitioner has paid the city taxes on the whole twenty-eight feet ever since the 16th of June, 1859, and thus has paid taxes on eight feet of the lot which the city has been using all the time for a public alley. Petitioner respectfully states that this seems to him unjust, and that the amount ought to be refunded to him, which petitioner prays may be done.

And petitioner as in duty bound, etc.,
AMERICUS DONAHOE.

Referred to Committee on Claims, Real Estate and City Attorney.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, March 27, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

The undersigned, your petitioners, would respectfully state that the want of a crossing at the intersection of Main and Georgia streets, is the source of much inconvenience to them and the neighboring residents; that all vehicles are compelled to make a considerable circuit, from the absence of a way across the broken ground; and that in bad weather it is with difficulty that foot passengers can get to and from Main street.

Your petitioners would therefore respectfully direct the attention of your honorable body to this fact, as being a grave inconvenience to many citizens, and would respectfully solicit such relief as may be afforded in your discretion.

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

THOS. J. GIRARDEAU,
C. H. BOURMAL,
B. W. HICKMAN,
WM. BROUN,
SAMUEL DAVIDS.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, March 16, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN: Your humble petitioners would respectfully call your attention to an ordinance made February 7, 1867, making the license on intelligence offices $101, which is very oppressive and burdensome indeed. We consider it a tax upon charity, for their business is to give the destitute and idle employment, thereby releiving the community of that class.

We would therefore most respectfully pray your honorable body to repeal said ordinance, especially when there is so much distress and idleness, and your humble petitioners will ever pray.

William Dardis,	W B Miller,
E M Apperson,	S Mansfield,
C S Russell,	Job Bledsoe,
W Park,	Lacey & McGhee,
Keel & Co,	B M Black,
Drake & Co,	J T Handlan & Co,
Oswald Pope,	Flem Calvert,
S B Robbins & Co,	Wm H Hardin,
W O Lofland,	Wm Hack,
D M Leatherman,	W B Glenn,
C B Church,	John K Moody,
James Steele.	

I think a license of $25 would be sufficient.
J E MERRIMAN.

Referred to Ordinance Committee.

By Alderman Brown.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your petitioners respectfully represent unto your honorable body, that they are owners of property on the south side of Madison street, between Fourth or DeSoto street and Bayou Gayoso, running back to an alley between Madison and Monroe streets, that they are informed that the alley in the rear of their property has never been dedicated to the use of the public, nor condemned by the city, and that the title to said alley still remains in the original proprietors of the adjoining property.

Your petitioners would further represent, that an effort is being made by certain parties owing a leasehold interest in property adjoining the aforesaid alley to close it up, at least so much of it as lies on and is part of the original country lot of which said parties are tenants; and, that, if the alley is closed, they will suffer great inconvenience, inasmuch as it is their only means of access to the rear of their residence lots; that if the portion of said alley claimed by the party wishing to close it, is closed, it will leave an alley only eight feet, or thereabouts, wide, running east of and parallel with Madison street, which width, your petitioners would argue, is not sufficient to allow them access to their rear lots.

In view of the premises, your petitioners would respectfully pray your honorable body to have said alley laid off and opened, if it belongs to the city, and if not, that such steps be taken by your honorable body as will secure the use of said alley to the public, subject to no disturbance by any private person or persons.

Your petitioners are informed, and believe, that the extension of the aforesaid alley, both west of DeSoto street and east of the bayou, has been donated to the city, or has otherwise become the property of the public; and they pray your honorable body to have the alley opened of uniform width from DeSoto street to Bayou Gayoso. And your petitioners would pray, etc.,

John B Robinson,	S Mansfield,
Oswald Pope,	F M Cogswell,
T S Ayers,	Daniel Jennings,
S B Williamson,	Mrs A O Harris,
M'Affrey & Cornelius,	John Bain,
Wm L Vance,	Mrs H Afflick,
Joseph Specht,	R F Brown,
R D Rambaut,	Thos E Hills.

Referred to Real Estate Committee.

By Alderman O'Donnell:

A communication from T C Brown & Co, paving contractors, asking that they be permitted to use lumber containing sap, in the pickets and flooring of the Nicholson pavement; producing affidavits that it had not been customary in laying such pavements, to exclude such lumber.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By Alderman Ruffin:

MEMPHIS, April 6, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis, Tennessee:

Your Board of Water Works and Sewerage have the honor to report that the reports of the Engineers on Water Works and Sewerage, will be ready in a few weeks, and as it is usual to print such reports in pamphlet form, with reduced lithographic maps of the principal surveys accompanying it. We have had estimates made of the cost of printing and lithographing the maps, and find that the cost will be as follows:

1,000 copies of the report	400,00
1,000 copies of the reduced Water Works Map	450,00
1,000 copies of the reduced Sewerage Map	450,00
1,000 of each of the six principal plans, and detail of reservoirs, etc.	800,00
Total	$2150,00

As these reports and plans are intended for distribution amongst the citizens, in order to give them information, and as no other plan will be so efficient, we recommend that you give us authority to have the report printed and maps lithographed. All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. RICHARDSON HUNT,
Chairman Board W W and S.

Referred to Finance Committee.

By the same.

MEMPHIS, April 7, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: Inasmuch as the dispensaries have been closed, thereby depriving a large number of very poor persons of the necessary remedies and medical attention to restore health and relieve suffering, and knowing as we do the necessity for some provision to be made for such; and, furthermore, knowing that your honorable body, recognizing the necessity for retrenchment and economy, has too much of the milk of human kindness to entirely ignore and discard the poor of the city, many of whom are old citizens, and have become poor from no fault of theirs, but simply from the depressed and unnatural state of things by which we are surrounded; in consequence, having greater and stronger claims upon your charity than they could possibly have under other circumstances; therefore, we the undersigned, most respectfully present to your honorable body the following proposition:

If you will furnish us, as a loan, the fixtures and shop furniture of the dispensary No. 1, we will pledge ourselves to devote our entire time, and give, free of charge, our professional services to the poor of the city, and furnish them medicine at fifty cents per prescription, except such prescriptions as contain unusually large amounts of quinine and liquors, making the excess of quinine at thirty grains. More than this, to be charged at the usual rates of all druggists.

We also propose to perform all the duties of city physicians, thereby saving the necessity of employing any one specially for this purpose at a given salary, and increasing the expenditures of the city. For the welfare of our families and our interest in the city, we also propose to give our attention as medical men to the sanitary condition of the city. Respectfully,

O. R. EARLY, M. D.,
J. H. NUTTALL, M. D.

P. S. This arrangement to exist for twelve months, and the dispensary to be located at any point your honorable body may designate, and subject to the inspection at all times to any and all of the Board.

Referred to Hospital Committee and Chairman of Finance Committee.

By Alderman Renner:

MEMPHIS, TENN., April 7, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN: The petitioner of the undersigned represents that she is well advanced in years, and has dependent on her a large family, some of whom are sick, and prays your honorable Board to grant her the privilege of keeping an eating stand on the levee as the only means she can find of obtaining a support for herself and those dependent upon her; and further ask that the license and wharfage for the same be granted free for one year. Said stand to be where it will not interfere with business on the levee. And your petitioner will ever pray, ELIZABETH STEWART.

Referred to Landing Committee.

By Alderman Passmore:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

The undersigned resident of Adams street and its junction with Boundary avenue, respectfully petition that a lamp post be placed on the northeast corner of Adams street, opposite the residence of Mr. Selden, where the crossing is at night difficult and dangerous. The gas pipe is already laid to within twenty five feet of said point. And the undersigned will ever pray, etc.,

B. J. SEMMES,
C. J. SELDEN,
T. B. MCEWEN.

MEMPHIS, March 9, 1868.

Referred to the Gas Committee.

By the same:

The following memorandum, of pavement completed to date, is made from the measurement given me at the Engineer's office, from time to time, as the work has progressed, and I believe is correct, or nearly so:

	Yards.	
Main street	32,615.99	
Second street	26,220 20	
Adams street	18,574.77	
Jefferson street	12,857.57	
North Court street	1,296 71	
Madison street	10,412 90	
Charleston avenue	7,089 63	
Union street	11,285 87	
	121,353.64—at 15c	$18,203 04
I have received from the sale of scrip to November 2, 1867, an account of which was made to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and by the Board referred to the Mayor and Controller in December, 1867	$8,820	
On the 27th of December, 1867, I received from the Controller warrants for	$1,000	
On the 4th of January, 1868, I received from the Controller a warrant for	5,000	
	$6,000	
Which I sold for cash and used in trade at 40c	$2,400—	$11,220 00
	Balance	$6,983 04

Yours, respectfully,
GEORGE O. HAYWOOD.

MEMPHIS, TENN., March 30, 1868.

Hon. Board of Mayor and Aldermen, City of Memphis, Tennessee.

Referred to the Committeee on Claims.

MEMPHIS, March 19, 1868.

By Alderman Moffet:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—We would respectfully call your attention to the fact that the alley between Alabama and Mosby streets, running east from Hill street, is in a most miserable condition, and would pray that you have it improved at once.

Respectfully,
J. D. STEWART.
GEO. W. L. CROOK.
JOHN BATEMAN.
J. B. WELD.
M. C. KENNEDY.
MRS. M. MORIARITY.
WM. BOOTH.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 6, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN: We, the undersigned, citizens of the city of Memphis, would most respectfully represent that the snack or eating houses now located on the levee, in this city, are an intolerable nuisance, and ought to be abated. Around these eating houses there are daily congregated from four to five hundred lazy, idle negroes, who maintain themselves chiefly by stealing freight from steamboats at the landing, and trading the stolen property to these eating or snack houses, for a small compensation, which they chiefly receive in lunches, and a small amount of money; and the undersigned would most respectfully ask your honorable body to take steps to remove said nuisance.

John K Moody & Co,	Pearce, Park & Co,
Vincent Bacigalupo,	G W Taylor,
G W Freeman,	Guy, Alden, McCrea & Co,
P W Harris,	E S Plummer,
Stratton, Goyer & Co,	Benham, Hendrix & Co,
E M Apperson & Co,	Anderson & Watson,
Harry Beek,	E Ackermann,
J & W H Whitt,	Toof, Phillips & Co,
D H Evans,	Montgomery & Co,
John D Britton,	Larry Harmstad & Co,
W E Dill,	D Hukill,
James O Durff,	Ed Hart,
M Walt,	Vinson & Donahue,
A S Harris,	Black, Camron & Co,
Lawrence, Carter & Co,	Clarke & Druey,
Brown, Dillard & Co,	Keel & Co,
Henry L Owen,	Schoolfield & Hanauer,
Allison Bros,	Wm H Andrews.

On my last trip, with three watchmen constantly around our freight, it was impossible to keep the gang of thieving negroes from breaking open casks of meat, barrels of flour, etc., and quantities carried off, as I beleive, to the above houses.

J. B. ARCHER,
Captain Steamer St. Patrick,
MICHAEL PYNE.

Wharfmaster empowered to remove the snack houses.

By Alderman Ellis:

Hon Board of Mayor and Aldermen of City of Memphis:

Petitioners Mary H. Talbot, Hugh B. Martin and M. R. Martin, his wife, and Martha P. Talbot, guardian for Delia W. Talbot, would respectfully represent to your honorable body that they are the owners of lots 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38, and parts of lots 41 and 42, lying immediately east of the above as laid down on the map of the city, in block 67, between Union and Gayoso streets, and running from Third street to Bayou. Petitioners further show that through lots 41 and 42 Hernando street must extend; that the land for said street has already been surveyed, and as they are informed, condemned by a former board and your immediate predecessors in office, but that no assessment of said property has as yet been made, as they believe, that a proposition similar to this was made to the former board, which was under consideration but never acted upon in consequence of the expiration of their term. Petitioners show that they own a good deal of unimproved real estate in this city, which in consequence of the stringency in money matters throughout the country and the universal depression in all kinds of business, they are unable to make yield sufficient to pay the taxes which have accumulated during and since the war. That during the war many leases of said property which provided for the payment of taxes were forfeited and abandoned, in consequence of which taxes to the city have accumulated, and which they are now unable to pay in consequence of the condition of the country. And petitioners therefore ask that said Hernando street, which has as before stated, been surveyed and condemned, be run through, and that the value of the same be allowed them in payment of these taxes; that they each now owe to the city in taxes nearly the sum of two thousand dollars, and ask that this go towards the payment of the same. All of which is respectfully submitted.

HUGH B. MARTIN, for self, and MARY H. TALBOT, and M. P. TALBOT, Gurdians for Delia W. Talbot.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis:

Your petitioners would respectfully represent to your honorable body the necessity of locating a market house in the Tenth Ward, at or about the intersection of Hernando Road and Wellington street; this point is near the centre of the Ward, on the east and west line, and of easy access from all points of the ward. The distance from the Beale street Market to the extreme boundary of the ward is one and a half to two miles. Owing to the nearly impassable state of our streets, it is a matter of much difficulty to get to the market, more especially at this season of the year. There is scarcely anything more conducive to the comfort and happiness of house keepers, than convenient markets. In all large cities of this country, markets are placed at convenient points.

Hoping you will give this your favorable consideration, your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

W A Moon,	H D Bulkley,
James M Williamson,	Mrs E S Jones,
H E Garth,	C B Moon,
A Wright,	J M Provine,
Jno W Smith,	S M Guest,
John J Dunlee,	J Stephens,
Jos White,	C Casey,
R L Looney,	Wm Hemerly,
John S Lail,	A A Burleson,
John T Robinson,	Chas A Higgins,
E J Want,	G H Want,
W L Want,	A Carleton,
Geo T Hubbard,	Joseph Grieshaber,
Joseph Lenow.	

Referred to Market Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Ellis:

Resolved, etc., That the Street Commissioner be, and is hereby instructed to grade and make passable for teams Georgia and Carolina streets, from Second to Main streets.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same.

Resolved, etc., That the Street Commissioners be and is hereby instructed to to fill in the roadway on Main street, near the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same.

Resolved, etc., That the property owners on the east side of Main street, between South and Georgia streets, be instructed to lay down a plank sidewalk in front of their property within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By Alderman Swayne (Alderman Passmore in the Chair):

Resolved, etc., That the Street Commissioner be, and he is hereby instructed to repair the gulleys at the crossing of Mill and Fourth streets, so that they shall not be dangerous to persons or property passing the same.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That the City Engineer, so fast as he can, with the force now or hereafter at his command, and without neglect of other more urgent business, proceed to survey and run out to the city limits the present streets and alleys of the city, varying the courses of any of them only so far as may be actually necessary to conform to plats and sub-divisions of property already laid off into lots and streets, and that he obtain dedications of the said streets and alleys when the same may be done without the forms of law.

Adopted.

By the same.

Resolved, That propositions are hereby invited from owners of lands within the territory lately added to the city, for the donation of plats of ground, of not less size than Court Square, for the purpose of public parks, when the same shall be hereafter required as such, and that the Committee on Parks report such propositions to this Board for its action thereon, adopting or rejecting the same, and all such propositions when made are hereby referred to said Committee.

Adopted.

By Alderman Passmore (Alderman Swayne in the chair):

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to take into consideration the necessity of establishing a workhouse as soon as practicable.

Adopted, and Aldermen Passmore, Black, Wickersham, Renner and Moffet appointed the Committee.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That the Mayor and City Attorney be, and are hereby instructed, to wait upon the United States Tax Collector, and make arrangements for the payment of the United States taxes upon the city park.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, That the Tax Collector for the forty-first and forty-second corporate years be directed to collect all the unpaid taxes now due for the preceeding years, and that he be allowed as commission upon said collections the rate fixed for the forty-first and forty-second corporate years.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That in order to procure streets, squares and alleys to meet the growing demands of the public, within the corporate limits of the city of Memphis, with as little cost as possible, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis will receive donations of land for such purposes by deeds of dedication, and will remit to the property owners the tax assessed against said lands for the 41st corporate year, said dedications to be made and accepted by plats made and recorded.

Adopted.

By the same:

Be it Ordained, By the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis, as follows:

SEC. 1. That for the purpose of funding the debt of the city of Memphis, the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue the bonds of the city bearing six per cent. interest to the amount of $——, having thirty years to run, and payable in the city of ——.

SEC. 2. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of $500 and $1,000, at the discretion of the Mayor, with coupons for interest, payable semi-annually; and when so issued shall be used by the Mayor for the payment of any of the due debts of the city.

SEC. 3. In order to test the sense of the qualified voters of the city as to the issuance of the above bonds, under an act of the Legislature, passed December 3, 1867, the Mayor shall, after giving ten days notice in the daily newspapers of the city of the time and place of the election, submit this ordinance to the qualified voters of the city. Those voting for the issuance of said bonds shall indorse upon their tickets, "bonds;" those voting against, "no bonds." And should a majority of the qualified voters vote in favor of the proposition, then this ordinance to be of full force and effect, and said bonds shall be issued as provided in sections 1 and 2.

Referred to Finance Committee.

By the same:

Whereas, it is important to prevent the visitation of epidemic diseases to the city, and as the accumulation of filth of any kind in and around the premises of the inhabitants of the city, is likely to endanger the health of the community; therefore,

Be it Ordained, By the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That no occupant of any building or premises in the city of Memphis shall permit the accumulation of any filth, garbage, or noxious substances upon said premises, but shall have the same removed at their expense.

SEC. 2. Said occupants shall not throw, or put into any street, public or private alley, any filth, garbage, or other noxious substances, or permit the same to flow from their premises.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the sanitary police, or any other member of the police force, to see that the above sections, one and two, are not violated; and if any filth, garbage or other noxious substance is found in and around said premises, or near the same, in any street or alley, said occupant shall be required to move the same within twenty-four hours; and in default thereof, said occupant shall be fined five dollars for each and every day said filth is permitted so to remain.

SEC. 4. The violation of the first and second section of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.

By Alderman Lemon:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner, under direction of the City Engineer, be directed to renew the wooden revetement at the second bayou on Vance street, and repair the damage done to the street by the decay of the present revetement.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, That the property owners on the north side of Vance street, between Causey and St. Martin streets, be notified to have their sidewalks repaired within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By the Same:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to raise the crossings at the intersection of Vance and Hernando, and Vance and Causey streets.

Adopted.

By Alderman Renner:

Resolved, etc., That the property holders on the south side of Madison street extended, from the intersection of Pigeon Roost Road eastward, be notified to lay down plank sidewalks in front of their property, within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That the property holders on Wellington street, between Union and Madison street, be notified to lay down plank sidewalks in front of their property, within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That the property holders on each side of Union street, from the bayou bridge to the Pigeon Roost road, be notified to repair and lay down brick or plank sidewalks in front of their property, within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That the property holders on each side of Beal street, from Wellington street to the Pigeon Roost road, be notified to repair and lay down brick or plank sidewalks in front of their property within the next thirty days.

Adopted.

By Alderman Ruffin:

Be it Ordained, etc., That the sidewalk on each side of Shelby street, from Beale to South streets, be widened, so that hereafter said sidewalks shall be twelve feet; said widening to be done by the property owners, without cost to the city.

Passed first and final reading, by a suspension of the rules.

By the same:

Resolved, etc., That Mr. Duffy, or any other person, be prevented from watering the streets after Boyd & Co. have watered, and that he or they be informed of this resolution.

Tabled.

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W. J. ROSS,
mh11 General Superintendent.

Tax Payers Notice.

THE assessment of the Ninth and Tenth Wards has been made by the City Tax Assessors. The books, showing the valuation and names of owners of each lot, will be open for inspection and correction at the Mayor's Office, Exchange Building, through the next ten days. We would have property owners in these two new wards call and see that mistakes as to ownership are corrected.

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Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of the power in me vested in a deed of trust executed on the 14th day of May, 1867, by Andrew J. Dowd, of Coahoma county, Miss., to me, as Trustee, to secure to Messrs. Galbreath, Stewart & Co., of Memphis, Tennessee, the payment of certain debts and liabilities of the said Dowd therein mentioned, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash,

On Monday, the 13th day of April, 1868,

On the premises, the following real and personal property, to-wit: The said Dowd's plantation in Coahoma county, Miss., situated on Moon Lake, whereon the said Dowd now resides, and containing thirteen (1300) hundred acres, more or less, the same being all the lands owned by the said Dowd in the said county, with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances. I will at the same time, and on the same terms, offer for sale about forty (40) mules, together with a lot of cows, calves and dry cattle, about fifty (50) head; also, all the farming utensils, wagons, gear, etc., all the property of the said Dowd; also, a large lot of corn on the place. The title to the said real and personal property is believed to be good, but I simply sell and convey as trustee aforesaid.

mh14 T. N. JOHNSTON, Trustee.

Trustee's Sale.

Valuable Mississippi River Plantation for Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me as trustee on the 13th day of December, 1865, by R. T. Harrell, and which is duly registered in the Register's office of Tipton county, Tennessee, in record book F, pages 201, 202 and 203, and to which reference is here made, and in pursuance of the terms thereof, and in pursuance of a decree of the Chancery Court of Memphis, entered March 27, 1868, in the cause of R. T. Harrell vs. Susan Brown et al., I will,

On Friday, the 8th day of May, 1868,

Proceed to sell between the hours of eleven o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock m. at public auction, in front of the Postoffice in Memphis, Tennessee, to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, described in said trust deed as follows: A certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, situate on the banks of the Mississippi river, adjoining the lands of John Trigg on the north, John and E. S. Alam on the west, and Potter's land on the east, and Samuel Benton's on the south, containing six hundred acres, it being the tract of land sold by Susan Brown to R. T. Harrell on the 13th of December, 1865; said deed of trust also conveys with the land all cattle and hogs, corn and cotton crops on the place, and all farming utensils and mechanics' tools, which will also be sold as the same time. There is a comfortable dwelling house, also other outhouses and buildings on the place, and is known as the plantation formerly belonging to Bedford Brown, Esq. The sale will be positive, as it is made for the payment of a balance due on the purchase notes.

Equity of redemption is waived. The title to said property is believed to be undisputed, but I will only sell and convey as trustee.

R. B. BELCHER.

For more particular information apply to BEACHER & BELCHER, Attorneys, Irving Block. apr7

Attachment Suit.

Municipal Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office March 9, 1868—No. 1455, A. D.—C. T. Ames and Mary Ames, Plaintiffs, vs. Haight & Chambers, Defendants.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendants Haight & Chambers; it is therefore ordered, that said defendants appear at the Municipal Court room in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Tuesday in April next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy. L. B. EATON, Clerk.
S. D. THOMPSON, D. C.
HAYNES, STOCKTON & HART, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh14

To the Distributees of Wyatt Moye, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given to the distributees and parties interested in the estate of Wyatt Moye, deceased, their agents, attorneys and proper representatives, that I have filed my petition in the county Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, to resign my administration of said estate; and, in pursuance of the order of said Court, I now give notice that on the second Monday in April next, at the Court House in Memphis, I shall present said petition and ask to have my accounts passed and my resignation accepted. The distributees may be present on that day, or as soon thereafter as the Court will reach and take up the matter, and take such action as they may see proper.

ROBERT S. ADAMS,
mh17 Administrator of Wyatt Moye, deceased.

No. 2378—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Mallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master.
HALLUM, CHALMERS & TURLEY, Solicitors for Complainant. mh3

Attachment Suit.

Harrison Jones vs. Jefferson Haskin.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant;

It is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the fourth day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

S A. MOORE, J. P.

LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Printer paid $5. mh7

No. 2561—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Denison and A. S. McNear, firm of Orgill Brothers & Co., vs. L. F. Beech, Dass, firm of Beech & Dass, et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Beech & Dass are non-residents of the State of Tennessee;

It is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken as confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy D. C. & M. Clerk and Master.
GANTT, WADDELL & MCDOWELL, Sols. for Complainants. mh8

In the Circuit Court of Shelby County—Mary Elizabeth Carter vs. James Edward Carter

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant James Edward Carter is a non resident of the state of Tennessee;

It is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first three days of the next term of the Circuit Court, to be held on the fourth Monday in May, 1868 and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill or the same will be taken for confessed, as to him, and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

A Copy—Attest. M. D. L. STEWART, Clerk.
T. W. BROWN and M. B. TREZEVANT, Sols. for complainant. mh10

Creditor's Notice.

No. 2435—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors or having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 11, 1868.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master,
ESTES, JACKSON, MCDAVITT and E. BURKE PICKETT, Sols. mh11

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by H. D. Sherman to me, (S. R. Gammon) to secure the payment of a note for the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000), payable to H. L. Eleau, dated Memphis, November 16, 1867, duly recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, State of Tennessee, in Record book No. 62, page 460, to which reference is hereby made, I will, on

Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1868,

At the late residence of H. D. Sherman, situated in Shelby county, about nine (9) miles from the city of Memphis, near the Horn Lake road, proceed to sell, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, the following described property, as set forth in said deed of trust, for the payment of the debt therein mentioned, to-wit: Eight (8) stock of cattle, two (2) mules, one (1) horse, seven (7) milch cows, one (1) spring wagon and one (1) ox wagon.

mr31 S. GAMMON, Trustee.

Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No 1159, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. W. B Johnson, Defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, W. B. Johnson; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy. JOHN DONOVAN,
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C. Clerk
WRIGHT, MCKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh15

Attachment Suit.

Law Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 4 1868—No. 1214—Attachment suit—Galbreath, Stewart & Co. Plaintiffs vs W. J. Rogers, Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT for Attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and Attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, W. J. Rogers, it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and the case set for hearing exparte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
A copy: JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, MCKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
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Attachment Suit.

Law Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1174, A. D.—Attachment Suit—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. Isaac Smith, Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant Isaac Smith; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
A copy, JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, MCKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh14

Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No 1180, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. J. Bunlin, defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, J. Bunlin; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy, JOHN DONOVAN,
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C. Clerk.
WRIGHT, MCKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh15

Trustees' Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed by W. P. Haines & Co., of Augusta, Ark., to Toof, Phillips & Co., of Memphis, Tenn., on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1867, and duly recorded in the Recorder's office in Woodruff county, Ark., in Mortgage Record Book A, pages 144, 145 and 146, we will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, at the Court House door in the city of Augusta and State of Arkansas,

On Tuesday, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1868,

Between the hours of ten a.m. and three p.m., of same day, the following described property, to satisfy said trust, viz: Seven bales of cotton, nine mules, six work oxen and one wagon.

F. M. MAHAN,
mh14 J. M. MCCURDY, Trustees.

LEGAL.

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 29th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Reasonover, and duly noted on pages 470, 471 and 472 of Record book No 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,

In front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: A one-sixth interest in three acres of land bought by F. M. Brewster of Mrs. E. Ragland, executrix, and S. B. Ragland, executor, of N. Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 54, part second, pages 20 and 21, and is therein described as lot No. 4, and the interest therein conveyed, is the same conveyed by F. M. Brewster to Thomas J. Reasonover on the 28th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 336 and 337, May 11, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of meets and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee.

apr JOHN R. REASONOVER, Trustee.

Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of J. C. Butler, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of J. C. Butler, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. LOUISA J. HARRIS, Executrix
Printer paid $5.

Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee—In re est. D. Weeks, deceased.

HAVING suggested the insolvency of the estate of D. Weeks, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and received an order to this effect, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same, authenticated in the manner prescribed by law, on or before the 10th day of September, 1868; any claims not filed on or before said day, or before an appropriation of the funds of said estate is made, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

F. SMITH,
Printer's fee paid. Administrator of D. Weeks, deceased. mh11

Attachment Suit.

George Mackey & Co. vs. Wm. D. Jones.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause, in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the 14th day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

mh13 (Signed) S. A. MOORE, J. P.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of William Haney, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at the March term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

R. W. BROOKS,
mh28 Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

apr7 C. A SCHAFER, Administratrix.

Notice to Creditors.

No. 2521—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Post, until the further orders of this Court.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
Clerk and Master,
By BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M. mh7

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed in trust executed by William B. Cotton on the 14th day of May, 1866, and recorded in Book No. 57, part first, pages 148, 149 and 150, in the Register's office of Shelby county and state of Tennessee, I will,

On the 27th day of April, 1868,

At 11 a.m., proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the salerooms of Royster, Trezevant & Co., 276 Second street, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, the following described real estate, to-wit: Being a ten acre lot in the Fifth Civil District on McConnell's avenue, having a front of three hundred and sixty five feet (365 feet), and a depth of eighteen chains and six links (18 chains 6 links.) The said lot to be sold to pay certain notes described in said trust deed. Equity of redemption waived. C. G. FIELD, Trustee.

JOHN P. TREZEVANT, Auctioneer. apr6

***Chancery Sale of Real Estate,* On Monday, April 13, 1868.**

No. 1665—N. R. D.—John Overton vs. R. H. Beith, Administrator, et al.

BY virtue of an interlocutory decree in this cause, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on Monday, April 13, 1868, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 m., the following described real estate, to wit: Lot No. 164, in Overton addition to the city of Memphis, fronting northwardly on Webster street (120) one hundred and twenty feet, and running back between parallel lines (170) one hundred and seventy feet to an alley. Terms of sale, cash. Equity of redemption barred A. ALSTON,

mh13 Clerk and Master.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution directed to me from the Circuit Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, of the May term, 1867, vs. J. G. Meacham, in favor of Freedman & Bro., I will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the Circuit Court House door in Memphis,

On the 30th of April, 1868,

At the usual hours, the following lot of land in Germantown, Eleventh Civil District of Shelby county, Tennessee: Bounded on the north by a tract or lot of land belonging to Henry Boardman, deceased; on the east by a tract or land that formerly belonged to Dr. J. W. Stout; on the south by the Memphis and Charleston Railroad; on the west by the Germantown plankroad, containing six and one half acres, more or less; said lot has been leased to L. E. Austin, Dr. John Thompson and John Dolton; said Austin has a store house lease, 60 by 25 feet, for six years, commencing the 15th of May, 1867. Said land will be sold as the property of said Meacham, to satisfy said execution, subject to said lease. This 7th of April, 1868.

A. P. CURRY, Sheriff.
By B. CASH, S. D. Sheriff. apr9

Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Samuel Leake, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Samuel Leake, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. V. LEAKE, Executor.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C.
Printer paid $5. mh14

Trust Sale

OF A FINE BRICK DWELLING, WITH TWO ACRES OF LAND, on Dunlap avenue. I will sell to the highest bidder,

On Saturday, 18th April, at 12 o'clock M.,

On the premises, Lots Nos. 12 and 13 of the Ragland Subdivision, situated on the west side of Dunlap avenue, containing about two acres of ground, on which is a handsome Two story Brick Dwelling, in fine condition; also, twelve Mules. The said property was conveyed to me in trust by E. D. Ragland on the 2d of February, 1867, to secure certain debts therein specified, and will be sold as above under the said trust. Terms made known at sale F. W. ROYSTER, Trustee.

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Administrator's Notice.

HAVING been qualified as administrator, with will annexed, of Jane Blair, deceased, all parties having claims against said estate are notified to file the same with me or with my attorney, J. A. Onley, properly authenticated, at once; and all parties indebted to the estate are notified to settle the same without delay.

W. L. ..ELL, Administrator.
ONLEY & DUVAL, ..neys mh7

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING qualified as administrator de bonis non upon the estate of C. B. Seward, deceased, at the February term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me for payment, within the time prescribed by law, and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate settlement of said indebtedness, or else said indebtedness will be sued upon. All persons holding claims against said estate and all persons owing it, will present their claims to, and settle with me, at my residence in Ninth Civil District of Shelby county.

I. M. BROOKS, Administrator
LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Attorneys. mh8

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of E. Stephenson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said E. Stephenson, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

April 7, 1868. J. W. DICKEY, Administrator.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Administratrix's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Daniel Moriarty, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Daniel Moriarty, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. MARY MORIARTY, Administratrix.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of W. T. Donelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of W. T. Donelson with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. S. A. WILSON, Guardian.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of Heirs of Wm. F. Allen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of the said Heirs with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 4, 1868. MARY C. ALLEN, Guardian.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Dissolution.

THE firm of LYONS, FIES & CO. has been dissolved by the withdrawal of Mr. JACOB SARTORIUS. Henry Lyons and Jacob Fies will continue the business at the old stand, under the name and style of LYONS & FIES, assuming all liabilities of and collecting all debts due the late firm. apr8

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